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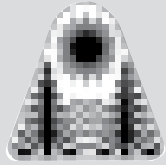
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

By Steve Margosian • Board President

Well the Forth of July celebrations have come and gone and from the feedback that I have received, everyone had a great time. As usual, the fireworks were spectacular, the Marina events brought out the kid in all of us. Our Equestrian Center get-together was a huge success highlighted by the old fashion hayrides. All in all, it was a great weekend for the entire family.

Putting on a fun-filled weekend doesn't automatically happen. It requires weeks of planning and hard work by our entire staff. Everything went off like clockwork and I want to congratulate Joe Powell and the entire PML staff for a job well done. These guys (and gals) are good!

On a more serious subject, the recent Tahoe fire puts an exclamation point on the need for fire safety and the need to clear the ground fuel from your property. This was neglected in Tahoe and the consequences were catastrophic. So if you missed the June 15th deadline and still haven't cleaned your lot, don't be

offended when Larry the Fire Guy sends you one of his "Git er done!" letters. This is serious business and the Association will be levying fines against those members who failed to comply. Consider this just a word to the wise.

If you haven't noticed, there are big changes happening in the Restaurant and the 19th Hole Bar. We have a new look, a new menu and some exciting entertainment. Tom Dorsey in the Restaurant and Charlie Bishop behind the Bar are making some big changes to enhance your dining experience. Tom and Orpheus have introduced some new offerings including new ala carte dinners and Early Bird specials. Meanwhile, Charlie in the Bar is providing more special entertainment such as the recent Comedy Night and the upcoming Motown Review. As a result, the traffic is up and our revenue is increasing and the initial response has been very positive. It looks as if we may have turned the corner on our way back to the glory days of the past. Keep up the good work.

I think it's time to sing the praises of our Dept. of Safety staff. This group is the behind the scenes organization that probably has the most contact with our members and their guests. Besides patrolling the property and responding

to emergencies, they are the ones that take your phone calls, greet your guests and issue the gate passes. They are also responsible for the Fire Safety Program, assisting ECC with property inspections and animal control. They work 24/7-365 days a year including holidays. They are truly the unsung heroes of PML. Next time you go by the front gate or see one of our Safety officers out and about, tell them thanks for all the hard work and how much we appreciate their efforts.

This is the last of my messages to you for my term expires this month. It's time to pass the torch and sing my swan song. I can't truly express how much of an honor and a privilege it has been to be your Director over these last three years and your President over this past year. I have been fortunate to work with some very dedicated folks during my tenure on the Board. Each of my fellow Directors, the committee members, the Administration staff and all our employees have pitched right in to make PML a better place. My footsteps in the sand will soon wash away but I hope that my small contribution has left the scene just a little better than when I started this journey. So without further ado, I wish you all a fond adieu.

On the Cover

Photo by David Wilkinson

Canadian Geese swimming across Pine Mountain Lake and to the Lake Lodge.

Read the special article talking about these geese, the visiting ones and also the ones that call Pine Mountain Lake their home, in this issue of PML News on page 20.



GENERAL MANAGER'S MESSAGE

By Joe Powell, CCAM, General Manager

Fire Abatement and 911

The PML Fire Abatement Program continues to be a hot topic (no pun intended) due to the hot and dry weather conditions. The recent Lake Tahoe Angora Fire serves as a perfect example of the danger of fire in our area. We have experienced several close calls by folks that are not paying attention and doing things that create a fire hazard. Everything from throwing cigarette butts out of a car window to leaving BBQ coals in a metal canister under a wood deck. Violation of local fire safety ordinances carries a hefty penalty and some of our members have already paid the price.

I recently met with our local Fire Chief, Shane Warner regarding the 911 response for PML. Apparently, some members have been calling the PML Main Gate with emergency issues, asking our staff to call 911 for them. It is important that all members call 911 when there is an emergency. Calling our staff slows down emergency services response time and puts lives in danger.

Lake Dredging Project

Permit applications and copies of the CEQA environmental report have been submitted to the Department of Fish and Game, Regional Water Quality Control and the Army Corps of Engineers. So far we have only received a response from the Department of Fish and Game. They had some concerns and our consultants at Moffat and Nichol are working with them to address their issues. The County passed the document around to the different departments for review and we are waiting for their response. So far, we are still on schedule on this process.

Tennis Courts

The resurfacing of Tennis Courts 5 & 6 was recently completed. This project was budgeted under amenity refurbishments for 2007. Tennis Court number 4 experienced some cracking during the cold snap over the winter and this was also repaired by the vendor. Since this was a warranty repair, the work was performed free of charge.

Independence Day Weekend Activities

The Annual PML Fireworks Display was held on June 30th at dusk. While we had a large crowd, our estimated attendance was lower by almost 1,000 people. We had few incidents including one arrest and three vehicles were towed. I would like to thank my our Marina, Safety and

Maintenance staff, my assistant Rick Whybra, CHP Officer Foote and his fellow officers and the Tuolumne County Sheriffs Department for their assistance in keeping this event fun and safe and making it a success.

Swimming Pool ADA Ramp Project

We have received the permit for the ramp and our architect is putting the finishing touches on the plans for the ADA accessible restroom and shower. Our Maintenance Manager, Tom Moffitt is meeting with contractors going over their bid submissions for the project.

NOTICE OF RULE CHANGE
Resolution # 05.01, PMLA Boating and Lake Rules was amended on July 21, 2007 at a duly noticed meeting of the Board of Directors

PMLA BOATING AND LAKE RULES

For your safety, California Boating Laws prevail. For your convenience, copies of the pamphlet "ABC's of California Boating Laws," published by the California Harbors and Watercraft are available at the Marina Store.

Listed below are further regulations that apply to Pine Mountain Lake boating usage. Failure to comply with them shall be grounds for termination of your privileges. Violations are subject to citation. All boats are subject to inspection to determine compliance with State Law and Association requirements. If you have any questions on the safety requirements of your boat, contact a Boat Patrol Officer or the Marina Store staff.

GENERAL BOATING RULES

Know our rules and abide by them for your enjoyment and safety.

All boats on Pine Mountain Lake must meet both State of California and Pine Mountain Lake registration requirements. Only property owners in good standing may register their boats.

REGISTRATION: Requirements for registration include: current liability insurance with a minimum of \$300,000, proof of PML residency, proof that the boat meets California Boating Law safety requirements, compliance with PML non-wake enhancing requirements, and agreement to abide by lake rules.

PML non-wake enhancing regulations restrict the use of internal ballast tanks, external fins, foils, panels, or boat hulls specifically designed to increase wakes. Any boats incorporating these devices, registered at PML must adhere to PML's restrictions on not utilizing these devices.

All boats are limited to 5 mph except during water skiing hours, where the speed limit is 40 mph in the ski area only. All boats, except those signed up for skiing, must stay out of the ski area while skiing is in progress. Skiing or other high-speed boating activity is permitted during designated hours from May 1 thru October 31 only.

Open stack boats and others with a decibel level exceeding 82 db are prohibited. Likewise, radios or stereos may not be played at high volume.

Note that areas marked "no wake" mean no wake. These areas are marked with white buoys that say "No Wake". Boats may have to go slower than 5 mph in order not to create any wake.

No "Jet Skis," "Waverunners" or other similar variations of personal watercraft are allowed on Pine Mountain Lake (except authorized emergency or law enforcement equipment).

Only skippers (16 years and older with a valid driver's license) designated by a boat owner may operate a powerboat, provided that they know the lake and marina rules. Boat owners are responsible for informing their operators of all lake and marina rules.

Boat owners are responsible for the operation of their boats and the wakes they create regardless of who may be operating the boat.

Reckless operation and disregard for others may result in citation and forfeiture of lake boating privileges.

Boaters must stay inside the passenger/operator areas of the boat. Riding outside of the railing or gate is prohibited.

Powerboat operators may not tow or pull rafts, tubes, paddleboats, kayaks, canoes or similar craft.

In case of an accident, give any necessary assistance, then immediately contact the Boat Patrol (based at the Marina).

Sufficient life preservers must be aboard for each passenger. All boaters less than 12 years of age and non-swimmers must wear properly tied life jackets.

Give a wide berth to sail and manually operated boats, as they have the right of way.

Powerboats may not be operated within 50 feet of a swimming area.

When meeting another boat, keep to the right.

Individuals wishing to blow out their motors may do so during high-speed boating hours and must first check-in

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Articles are accepted as an e-mail attachment, on CD-R, on disk, laser printed or in these programs

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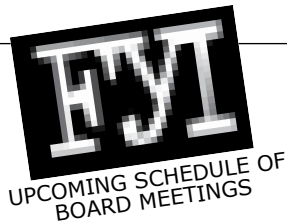
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August 18, 2007 (Annual Election) (Annual Board meeting and Special Board meeting to follow)

September 8, 2007 (due to 49'er Fest)

October 20, 2007

November 17, 2007

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- Monday**
 - September 3 Labor Day**
 - Monday**
 - November 12 Veterans Day**
 - Thursday**
 - Nov. 22 Thanksgiving**
 - Friday**
 - Nov. 23 Day after Thanksgiving**
 - Monday**
 - December 24 Christmas Eve**
 - Tuesday**
 - December 25 Christmas**
 - Monday**
 - December 31 New Years Eve**
 - Tuesday**
 - January 1, 2008 New Years Day**
- OFFICE CLOSED ON THESE DAYS**

Editor's Note

We greatly appreciate your contributions but please note that the PML News fills up very quickly – often by the 7th or 8th of the month (long before the 10th deadline). To ensure that your submission is reviewed for publication please submit in full and as early as possible.

Please remember that the PML News is limited in capacity and your submissions are reviewed on a first-come-first-served, space-available basis.

We publish all PMLA related submissions such as Board & Management Business, Clubs, Activities & Events. Where space remains, we publish non-PMLA related submissions in our "Community" section.

We do our best to provide you with timely news. If you experience delayed delivery, or have misplaced a particular edition, please visit us at the PMLA website www.pinemountainlake.com for a downloadable PDF of the News posted by the 1st of the month and a downloadable PDF list of ad rates.

PMLA Department of Safety Report

As of June 2007

CLASSIFICATION	MONTH	YTD
Vehicles Refused	338	917
Phone Calls Received	5194	26214
Resident Alarms	10	41
Amenity Alarms	6	28
Animal Related	18	86
Animal - Loose	21	128
- Impounded	4	23
- Registered	2	10
- Dead/Injured	19	77
- Disturbance	34	114
Assist Dispatch (General)	70	416
Assist Patrol (General)	239	1044
Complaint-Non PML Res	9	38
Illegal Burn / Fire	3	46
Report Writing	1	33
Downloading Photos	3	22
Gate - Tamper	0	1
- Follow Through	4	34
- Malfunction	9	40
Confiscated Access Card	4	20
Mess/Pkg PU or Delivery	17	168
Posting Fliers	16	72
Miscellaneous	582	3096
Lost and Found	3	15
ECC Inspection	4	20
Hazard	7	72
Suspicious Circumstance	8	52
Suspicious Person	6	35
Suspicious Vehicle	5	26
Camp Envelope/Dump Sta.	48	144
Grand Theft	0	1
Petty Theft	5	21
Malicious Mischief	5	27
Trespass	5	19
Law Violations - All Other	4	17
Law Violations - TCSO	4	19
Training/Meeting	1	23
PML Reg Violations Resident	11	58
PML Reg Violations Guest	2	18
Vehicle - Illegally Parked	2	20
- Citation Issued	3	15
- Parking Warning	0	2
- Towed	3	5
- Marking Tires	0	2
- Accident PML	4	2
Amenity Security Check	2389	12051
Resident Security Check	264	3015
Opening/Closing Bldg's	426	1549
Opening/Closing Gates	253	1536
Posting Tennis	60	328
Monitoring Tennis Courts	87	137
Personal Injury PML Property	4	13
Weapons	4	22
Amenity P/U & Del to Bank	126	477
Patrol Vehicle - Maintenance	16	62
- Safety Check	102	545
Vehicles Admitted	14111	55246
Hetch Hetchy Realtors	1048	2644
Passes Issued	2608	11974
Fixed Post	38	138
Courtesy Notice Issued	2	45
Tennis Fees Collected	\$156.00	\$750.00

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* Pool

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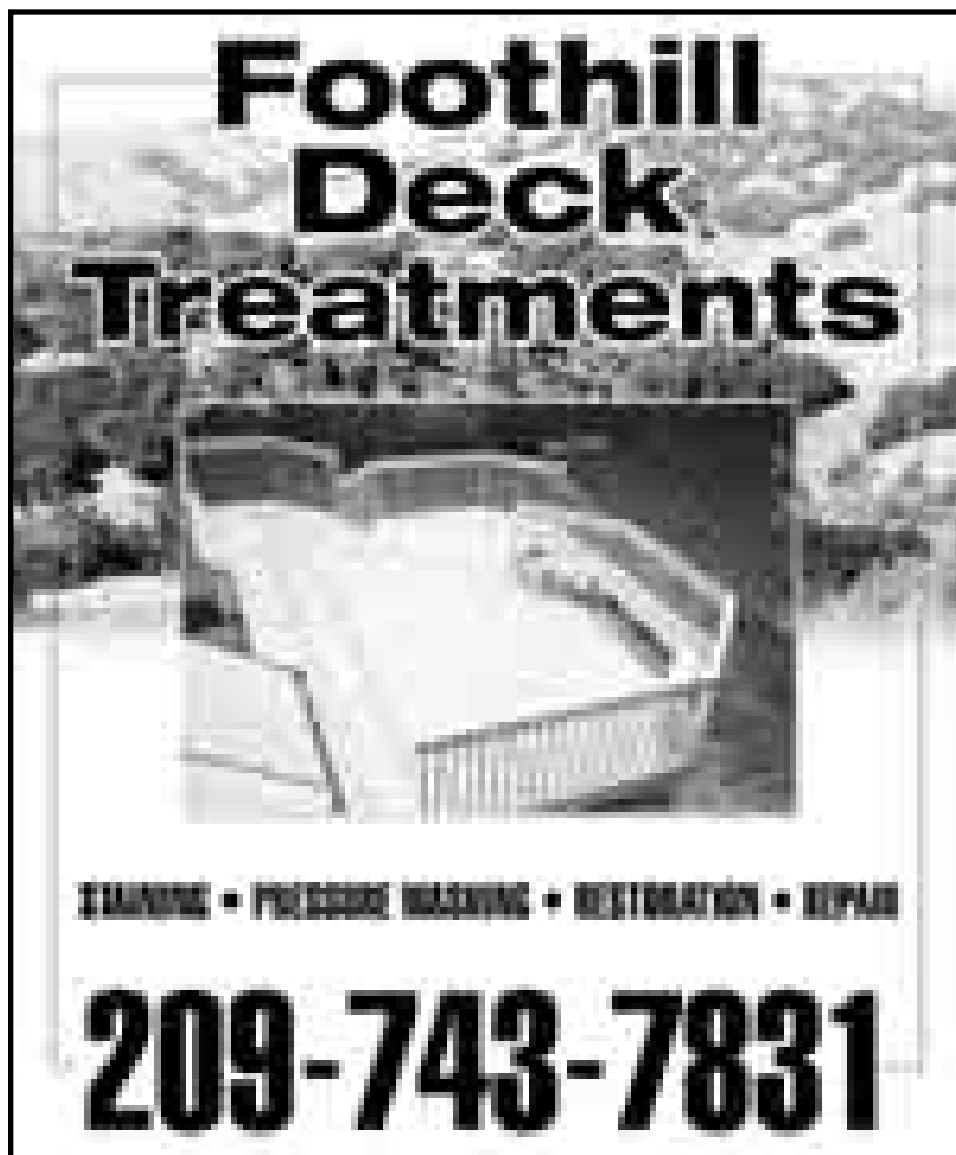
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LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Fire Station is Alive and Well

I hope I read this wrong—each lot will be accessed about \$1,050 for a new Fire House? If this has anything to do with Long Gulch Ranch, then Dan Levin and his buddies need to pay for it, staff it, etc.

I don't know all of the facts but it appears that we have a fire station, and either volunteer or perhaps full time employees? If there is no new development, and you all know how I feel about LGR, then we don't need a new fire station do we? What exactly am I missing here? It appears that once again the GCSD is spending OUR money. Soon, you all will be forced out of the area because you will no longer be able to afford to live here—why don't you people sound off about this? Why does it seem most of you are apathetic? What happened to the fight in you? Stand up and be counted for crying out loud! Don't let the GCSD run your life—write letters!!!

Say something, get petitions signed, and get those spendthrifts off the Board. Craig Maxwell was the only one with any

sense, and he was forced off the Board. GCSD is being sued aren't they? Doesn't that tell you something? Have some guts people—SPEAK UP!

—KATHY SMITH
UNIT 1/LOT 101

PML Named Canadian Geese Lake??

The huge population of Canadian Geese are overrunning the lake passing the “so what” stage. Recently counted 81 adults on the Lake Lodge beach “pooping away.” Also counted 37 new baby geese. How many were down Big Creek and scattered over the golf course and people's property, don't know. Guess 100s!!

You say, so what! Recently Lake Lodi (near Sacramento) was SHUT DOWN to swimming, etc. from geese contamination? Geese poop spreads diseases & bacterial infections! (We have swimmers absorbing the dissolved poop, little children stepping on it, picking it up, etc.) Even the golfers face being unable to putt because the geese had a pooping convention—it happened!

You still say, so what! What if the government shuts down our lake? Angry people; low summer rentals/income; decrease in property values; costly treating lake water for the golf course; law suits from illnesses; etc.

GEESE FACTS: Life expectancy 25+ years; Nest 3-12 eggs; poop/day 2.5+lbs (Marina staff collected 140lbs of poop from the beaches in one day); Babies reproduce in 2+ years; Population grows 15+%/yr; They spread disease.

CONTROL: PML tried windmills at Marina; hired dog chasing them away (short lived); feeding them at the dam (short lived); sterilized them (still got 37+ new babies??).

BOTTOM LINE: Staff has tried many things, contacting Feds did nothing. We need ideas, high level contacts to get action NOW. Need PRESSURE from our Supervisors, county/area Representatives, etc. Need signature appeal? HELP! (Google sites including www.canadagoosemanagement.com)

—BRUCE BURMAN
UNIT 4/LOT 103

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with the Boat Patrol. Blow-outs will be limited to two (2) times around the ski pattern and must adhere to all high-speed boating rules. A maximum of 4 boats are allowed in the high-speed boating lane with skiers/boarders given priority over boats wishing to blow out their motor. No engine blowouts will be allowed between 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm.

Every effort shall be made to minimize wakes, especially those affecting shoreline properties.

All lake activity is suspended when CDF helicopters perform firefighting procedures or during other emergencies that require use of lake water.

The Boat Patrol will be in effect daily. Citations may be given for PML rule infractions. Two citations will constitute action for removing your boat from Pine Mountain Lake for the remainder of the season. Any boating or swimming rule may be changed in an emergency based on input from PML Management, Safety Dept, Sheriff's Dept, or other appropriate agency.

BOAT LAUNCHING & REMOVAL DATES

NO BOAT MAY BE LAUNCHED without current Pine Mountain Lake registration.

BOAT LAUNCHING AND REMOVAL is allowed only at the Marina boat ramp.

ALL BOATS NOT REMOVED from Dunn Court and the Marina area by October 31st of each year will be removed and stored **AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE.**

NO TRAILER PARKING permitted, except for daily use, and only in designated areas. No trailer parking will be permitted the date of the Independence Day fireworks celebration.

DUNN COURT SAILBOAT OWNERS: Please relocate your sailboat the day before the annual fireworks display. This date may vary from year to year.

WATER SKIING AND WAKEBOARDING RULES

Homeowners wishing to register a ski or wake boat for the first time on PML will be given a tour of the lake and have these regulations and the PML Water-ski and Wakeboard Club's Good Neighbor Rules explained. This tour will be conducted monthly by the PML Boat Patrol, assisted by the PML WWC and must be completed before the homeowner may sign up for ski/wakeboard times at PML. Copies of the Good Neighbor Rules will be available to all boaters at the Marina.

Skiing and wakeboarding will be on a one-hour session, reservation basis. High-speed boating hours are generally as follows:

Day Morning Hours Evening Hours

<i>Monday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating 7:00- water skiing
<i>Tuesday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating 7:00- water skiing
<i>Wednesday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating 7:00- slow boating
<i>Thursday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating 7:00- water skiing
<i>Friday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	4:00- wakeboarding

Saturday

9:00-12:00 noon	4:00- wakeboarding 5:00- wakeboarding /skiing 6:00- slow boating 7:00- water skiing
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Sunday

9:00-12:00 noon	4:00- wakeboarding 5:00- wakeboarding /skiing 6:00- slow boating 7:00- water skiing
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On the Monday associated with the 3 three-day holiday weekends, wakeboarding will start at 4:00 P.M.

High-speed boating activities, wakeboarding or skiing, in the 9 am to 12 pm hours are not defined and will be worked out between the Marina Manager and the PML WWC.

Skiing and wakeboarding are prohibited November 1 through April 30. The speed limit for all boats during this time is 5 mph.

Reservations will be taken at the Marina Store (962-8631) up to 24 hours in advance and will be limited to one hour per day. Additional hours may be reserved on the day of interest. You may call or walk-in for reservations. When time slots become full, a stand-by list will be taken.

All users of the fast boat lane must check-in with the Boat Patrol prior to commencing their activity. The Boat Patrol will wait 10 minutes for a user with a reservation. After that, the time slot will be opened to the next fast boat user requesting time. If there are no reservations or ad hoc fast boat users in line, the fast boat lane will be closed to fast boat activities for the rest of the hour.

A ski-flag or light system is located at the Marina point. The flag or light indicates whether high-speed boating activity is or is not occurring. The ski flag will be dynamically raised and lowered based on whether the fast boat lane is open or closed on an hour-by-hour basis during reservation hours. Boaters can also call the Marina Store for ski-flag or light status.

A maximum of four (4) boats will be allowed to ski at any one time. A distance of 100 feet shall be maintained between boats.

A counter-clockwise ski pattern shall

be maintained.

To minimize shoreline wakes on the North shore, high-speed boaters shall stay as close as possible to the main beach buoys when traveling from the dam toward Big Creek. When traveling Big Creek toward the dam, high-speed boaters should stay as close as possible to the center of the ski pattern as safety permits. Always pass an approaching powerboat on the right.

All boats being used on PML waters must be operated in a manner to minimize the size of the wake produced by the boat. With the exception of pontoon boats and those boats traveling less than 5 mph, all powerboat operators shall operate at planing speeds as soon as practical when in the ski pattern.

Wake Enhancement: The use of devices, equipment, or placement of passengers on boats for the purpose of creating an enlarged wake is prohibited. Further, no such devices or equipment may be used on any boat in PML. Such devices and equipment include, but are not limited to; exterior panels or wings deployed underwater; rubberized, plastic or metal tanks or bags filled with any material; crowding of passengers to the rear; inside-the-hull water tanks or boat hulls designed specifically to enhance the wake. Additionally, the operator of an outboard or I/O drive boat must keep the out-drive down to optimally trim the boat to minimize the size of the boat's wake at all times.

Any boat that produces excessive wakes may be cited. Two citations result in eviction from the lake for the remainder of the calendar year.

Staging area for skiers is the White SKI BUOY outside the Marina. No other area! There is a voluntary drop area outside the 5 mph buoys at Fisherman's Cove. See Marina Store and Good Neighbor Rules for details.

Ski course is marked with red buoys. Stay inside of the red buoys. These buoys are not a SLALOM COURSE.

Ski boats must have a red or orange flag and an observer at least 12 years of age.

Ski boats returning to a fallen skier must make a starboard (right) turn to return to the skier while raising the red or orange warning flag. The boat operator shall make the 'turn-around' at a slow speed to minimize the wake. Obviously, safety is a concern, but anything a boat operator can do to minimize wake size is required.

The driver of any boat approaching a boat displaying a red or orange flag must acknowledge the downed skier's presence by raising their hand for the skier's tow boat to see and take appropriate evasive action to ensure the safety of the downed skier.

Skier must raise one (1) ski (or wakeboard or kneeboard) when in water with slack towline to warn other boats in the area.

All skiers must wear proper Coast Guard approved life preservers.

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PML Junior Golf Clinics 2007
Come join us for more fun
and Golf this summer!

August 1, 2 & 3

Beginning Clinic 9:30 to 11:00 am & Intermediate Clinic 11:30 to 1:00 pm

Clinics are held on three consecutive days, Wednesday through Friday.

Each 3 day session costs \$30 per student with a maximum cost of \$60 per family.

PLEASE CONTACT THE GOLF SHOP FOR MORE INFORMATION.

209/962-8620

Class sizes are limited so sign up early!

We look forward to seeing you at this summer's clinics!

PINE MOUNTAIN LAKE ASSOCIATION STATEMENT OF OPERATING FUND REVENUES AND EXPENSES For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2007											
OPERATION OF AMENITIES	Revenues					Expenses				Budget (NET COST) INCOME	Variance Bud - Act
	Members' Assessments Net of Discount	User Fees	Sales, Net of Cost of Sales	Miscellaneous Income	Total Revenues	Total Expenses	(Cost)/Income Before Depreciation	Depreciation Expense	(NET COST) INCOME		
	Golf Course	\$-0-	\$411,417	\$36,191	\$(150)	\$447,458	\$548,077	\$(100,619)	\$108,069		
Country Club	-0-	874	149,552	5	150,431	402,714	(252,283)	20,125	(272,408)	(258,526)	(13,882)
Marina	-0-	125,485	21,765	-0-	147,250	135,485	11,765	26,580	(14,815)	19,637	(34,452)
Lake & Beach	-0-	1,000	-0-	-0-	1,000	51,606	(50,606)	7,244	(57,850)	(63,582)	5,732
Stables	-0-	35,279	-0-	-0-	35,279	84,345	(49,066)	9,908	(58,974)	(68,200)	9,226
Recreation	-0-	32,817	1,294	-0-	34,111	48,878	(14,767)	24,249	(39,016)	(46,142)	7,126
Roads & Facilities Maintenance	-0-	5,518	-0-	250	5,768	478,533	(472,765)	78,177	(550,942)	(550,967)	25
PROPERTY OWNER SERVICES											
Safety	-0-	28,537	-0-	294	28,831	345,658	(316,827)	8,465	(325,292)	(326,170)	878
Administration	-0-	110,272	-0-	39,218	149,490	589,412	(439,922)	7,347	(447,269)	(528,806)	81,537
ASSESSMENTS											
Assessments	1,877,914		-0-	-0-	1,877,914	-	1,877,914	-0-	1,877,914	1,868,584	9,330
Totals	\$1,877,914	\$751,199	\$208,802	\$39,617	\$2,877,532	\$2,684,708	\$192,824	\$290,164	\$(97,340)	\$(256,737)	159,397

Notes to the Financial Statements

- Total Revenues minus Total Expenses equals Net Income before depreciation. The annual budget for income before depreciation is \$0.
- The Association combined the Operating Fund and the Property and Equipment Fund into one fund effective May 1, 2001.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES 6 Months Ended June 30, 2007						
	RESERVE FUNDS			NEW CAPITAL ADDITIONS FUND	TOTAL CONTRIBUTION TO CAPITAL	
	AMENITY REFURBISHMENT FUND	CAPITAL EQUIP. REPLACEMENT FUND	TOTAL RESERVE FUNDS			
2007 Beginning Fund Balances	\$1,537,933	\$195,390	\$1,733,323	\$32,062	\$1,765,385	
Interest Income	31,094	2,157	33,251	549	33,800	
Less Bank Fees	270	21	291		291	
Assessments Earned	417,048 ⁽¹⁾	141,550 ⁽²⁾	558,598	21,975 ⁽³⁾	580,573	
Income Tax Expense			0		0	
PURCHASES BY AMENITY						
Golf Course		(83,174)	(83,174)	(3,360)	(86,534)	
Country Club	(52,343)	(92,857)	(145,200)	(715)	(145,915)	
Bar	(7,059)	(5,494)	(12,553)	(7,348)	(19,901)	
Marina	(9,564)		(9,564)	(7,245)	(16,809)	
Lake & Beach	(69,554)		(69,554)		(69,554)	
Swim Center			0		0	
Stables	(44,074)	(5,399)	(49,473)		(49,473)	
Recreation	(2,669)		(2,669)		(2,669)	
Roads & Facilities Maintenance	(962,549)	(14,363)	(976,912)	(4,285)	(981,197)	
PROPERTY OWNER SERVICES						
Safety	(3,324)	(28,697)	(32,021)	(2,994)	(35,015)	
Administration	(16,366)	(8,716)	(25,082)		(25,082)	
Total transfer to Operating Fund for property and equipment additions	(1,167,502)	(238,700)	(1,406,202)	(25,947)	(1,432,149)	
Adjusted Fund Balances	\$818,843	\$100,418	\$919,261	\$28,639	\$947,900	

Notes to the Financial Statements

- The Budgeted Amenity Refurbishment Fund assessment for 2007 is \$834,095.
- The Budgeted Capital Equipment Replacement Fund assessment for 2007 is \$283,100
- The Budgeted New Capital Additions Fund assessment for 2007 is \$43,950.

Ala Carte - July '07

by Tom Dorsey, Country Club Manager

The summer is really flying by!

This year's Mother Lode Tournament was a great success. I would like to thank Tom Bickmore for all of his hard work and dedication over these many years, to make the Mother Lode the best Tournament in the Sierras.

Don't miss this one!

On Friday, August 24th, The Pine Mountain Lake Country Club is proud to present "A Motown Revival" by the group Prestige. Prestige has been playing up and down California for the past 12 years to rave reviews. Join us for a spectacular evening of dinner and dance.

Cocktails start at 6pm, Dinner at 7pm, and the show begins at 8pm. Get your

reservations in now before this one sells out. Please check our website at www.pinemountainlake.com for menu and further details.

It looks like the membership is happy to have member charge accounts available again judging by the amount of new accounts lately. If you have not already done so, please stop by Administration and get your account active; I promise the process is quick and painless!

If you haven't done so already, please take the time to fill out your member survey, your input is greatly appreciated and it will allow us to identify areas of improvement to provide our members the best level of service possible. ☛

See you at the Club!

Chef's Corner

by Executive Chef, Orpheus Brown

Hello PML

We are in the middle of our summer season and we are ready for the tournaments, celebrations and gatherings, and I look forward to bringing culinary delights to all your events.

I would like to welcome Janet Weissbeck to my culinary brigade as my assistant chef; if you have been dining with us Thursday thru Sunday dinners, you have already been enjoying the talent and care Janet brings to our country club kitchen. Janet has brought years of experience and love of food to us with a genuine desire to produce the best food for our entire guests and staff. Thank you Janet for all your passion and time, and on that note let me introduce you to my team.

Janet Weissbeck—sous chef

Bert Lahaie—breakfast and lunch chef

Harold Bramhall—steward and breakfast lunch chef

Lydia Krueger—pantry chef

Ben Degraf—dishwasher and food preparation chef

I extend a grateful thank you for all their hard work and loyalty to my vision, without them it would not be possible.

I hope as a general feeling that you are enjoying the Italian inspired theme I have brought to dinners and are satisfied and excited to come to the country club. As always, if you have a concern that I can alleviate please call Tom or I and we will try to accommodate you the best we can.

My passion for food has shown itself in your response to the food I've produced over the last 2 years and has allowed me to expand and create a large variety of culinary concepts, which seems to be

winning people over in our community. I will be bringing the quality, level and the finesse of our food up a notch every year until we reach the status of country clubs countrywide. Country Clubs are a unique environment and require diversity to meet the needs of a mixed clientele and cannot rely on a concept style restaurant to satisfy our guest needs. This is why we have such a varied selection over all. When we think of a club's dinner menu, we do picture an elegant refined culinary experience which was not really offered when I arrived in 2005. Over time Tom and I have refined and experimented with different foods and finally came up with a winner. Next year I will bring our concept up another notch and refine it even more. I want our members to boast and show off our club to friends, guests and prospects. In today's competitive world we have to out shine other country clubs and set the standards if we wish to continue to be successful and I will do my part with our food. Thank you again for your valued support. ☛

One of my favorite dishes of all times is sauce putanesca and I love the story that comes with it. Good food has a story and a history and is as important as the flavors themselves.

The story of puttanesca in a rough way (don't hold me to it, I'm just passing on what I was told) is about a fisherman on the Italian coast who had a very promiscuous wife and for some reason he never seemed upset or angry towards her. The village wives looked down upon him and his wife and gossip to their husbands about their behavior which over time finally brought about the village men confronting him

Breakfast Menu

Saturday & Sunday 8am - 11am

All breakfasts come with country potatoes and fruit

Omelets

Denver Omelet	\$9.95
Mozzarella & Tomato Omelet	\$8.95
Southwest Omelet	\$9.95
Goat Cheese, Olive & Artichoke Omelet	\$8.95
Grav Lox Omelet	\$10.95

Eggs Your Way

2 Eggs the way you want them.....	\$7.95
(Eggs come with choice of bacon, ham or sausage)	
Steak & Eggs	\$13.95
Chicken Fried Steak w/Country Gravy & Eggs.....	\$11.95
Biscuits & Gravy	\$9.95

Breakfast Burrito	\$7.95
Chillaquilles	\$7.95

Eggs Benedict

Traditional	\$10.95
Crab Cake w/Lemon Hollandaise	\$12.95
Grav Lox w/Orange Hollandaise.....	\$11.95

Grav Lox & Bagels	\$10.95
Crab Cake Salad	\$14.95

French Toast

Tall Stack (4 pieces)	\$7.95
Short Stack (2 pieces)	\$5.95

Pancakes

Tall Stack (4 pieces)	\$7.95
Short Stack (2 pieces)	\$5.95
Add Blueberries50

Crepes

Fruit (stuffed w/Peach & Cream Cheese).....	\$9.95
Shrimp	\$14.95

about both of the couples' behavior, asking him why he did nothing about his wife's infidelity. In response he said he would show them and invited them over for a dinner prepared by his wife. At the end of the meal, the fisherman asked them how they enjoyed their dinner. The response was one of overwhelming disbelief for the men had never tasted anything so amazing in their lives and were stunned. The fisherman replied that he would never let go of his wife because of this dish no matter what...it was never discussed again.

The word Puttanesca translates roughly into the phrase "of the whore." 'nuff said.

Traditionally this dish was a pasta dish but over the years chefs have personalized it in as many ways as there are chefs. So here is P.M.L.C.C. swordfish puttensca recipe for home;

- 1/4 cup extra virgin olive oil
- 1/4 cup Anchovies filet
- 1/4 cup minced Garlic
- 1 cup Diced tomatoes

- 1/2 cup Capers
 - 1 tsp Chili flake
 - 2 cups Tomato sauce
 - 1 tbs Fresh basil
 - 1 tsp Fresh oregano
 - Black pepper to taste
1. In a hot saucepot add oil until starting to smoke.
 2. Add anchovies and sear on high heat until anchovies start to dissolve.
 3. Add garlic until slightly roasted.
 4. Add all tomato products, capers and bring to a boil.
 5. Simmer for 30 minutes.
 6. Add herbs and stir, simmer for 5 minutes
 7. Season with black pepper, caper, and anchovies (have salt added to them), I do not recommend adding more. But if you do, please taste the finished sauce first then add kosher sea salt as they are milder if flavor.
 8. Add to your favorite pasta.
- Good eats and enjoy until next time.

PML Aviation Association to Hear Helicopter Tales

by Virginia Gustafson



This past spring, Paul Purifoy and Dick Collier had the opportunity to fly with Paul's daughter Stacey as she ferried a new Bell 206 L4 Longranger helicopter from Louisiana to Alaska. Stacey works as a helicopter pilot for Air Logistics – the largest helicopter service company in the world and the provider of helicopter services in support of the Trans Alaska Pipeline System.

The very low and very slow ten-day trip crossed the US and part of Canada before arriving at the Air Logistics regional headquarters in Fairbanks, Alaska. With few airports enroute, they prudently landed at a Wal-Mart to buy gas cans, and again at a truck stop to fill them. As they will tell us, that was a very good decision!

Paul and Dick will recount their adventures flying "at 500 feet and 90 knots" across the US and Canada at the next PMLAA potluck dinner meeting, Saturday evening, August 4th. The meeting starts at 5:30pm at the Peebles hangar on the north taxiway of the PML Airport.

Paul Purifoy and Dick Collier refuel the helicopter on the Alcan highway.

Friends of the Lake Celebrate Music at the Marina, Plan Lake Swim Day, August 5th

by Virginia Gustafson

Over 80 members of Friends of the Lake spent a glorious evening at the Marina on July 8. Following our delicious potluck social, we enjoyed several hours of lovely music by "Chris and Lori," our favorite folk and old-time rock performers from Jamestown. We sang along and relished the music, camaraderie, and beautiful location until dark.

The next Friends of the Lake event is the Lake Swim on August 5th. This is the one and only time of the year that you can swim in open water across the lake. The swim goes from the Dunn Court beach to the Marina beach. Friends of the Lake will award small prizes for first, second and third place finishers.

Come to Dunn Court at 2:30pm on Sunday, August 5th to register. You must sign a liability waiver to participate and must be able to swim approximately a quarter-mile. You can sign up for either

of two waves: the timed swimmers or the un-timed. Noodles and other swim aids are not permitted.

Last year our fastest swimmer made the distance in seven minutes, the slowest was about twenty minutes, and everyone had a great time. Emergency services will

be standing by. Please call Lake Swim chairman Gene Patterson at 962-6287 if you have any questions. This event is free and open to all!

Following the lake swim, Friends of the Lake will hold its monthly potluck social at the marina at 5:00pm, August 5. 🍷



Chris Miller and Lori Brandon entertain at the Friends of the Lake social and Friends of the Lake share a potluck dinner at the Marina



PML Organized Groups & Clubs

Contact the individuals below if you are interested in joining!

Aviation Association:

Allen Craig 209/962-6757

Computer Users Group:

Gerald DeHart 209/962-7429

Country Mountain Riders:

Connie Soderberg 209/962-5299

Crafts Guild:

Lorraine Jordan 209/962-6707

Dance Party:

Carol Stevens 209/962-0406

Duplicate Bridge:

Ann Laffin 209/962-6394

Exercise:

Marie Humphreys 209/962-7905

Barb Elliott 209/962-6457

Friends of the Lake:

Marilyn Hathaway 209/962-7595

Garden Club:

Arlene Vorce 209/962-7186

Guardians of PML:

John Nielsen 209/962-4934

Ladies Club:

Kym Purifoy 209/962-5100

Ladies Golf Club:

Virginia Tallman 209/962-4637

Men's Golf Club:

Frank Jablonski 209/962-4375

Men's 9-Hole Golf Club:

Wally Child 209/962-0723

Monday Bridge Club:

Bill Mingus 209/962-4240 (M)

N. Anderson 209/962-0337 (W)

Non-Residents' Group:

Kathy Coon 510/656-0162

Pine Needlers Quilting Guild:

Judy Basey 209/962-5848

PML Niners:

Linelle Marshall 209/962-7931

PML Waterski & Wakeboard Club:

Rick Whitacre 408/582-3081

e-mail: rwguard55-pml@yahoo.com

PM Lakers RV Club:

Tom Taylor 209/962-6596

Poison Oakers Square Dance Club:

Irene Rhyne 209/878-3537

Racquet Club:

Al Rodriguez 209/962-6457

Residents Club:

Thelma Faux 209/962-4617

ROOFBB:

Jackie Baker 209/962-6295

Sierra Professional Artists

Heinie Hartwig 209/586-1637

Sunday Couples Golf:

Norma Baldinger 209/962-5332

Windjammers Sailing Club:

Jim Wilbanks 925/283-0229

Property Owner Input Needed: Web-Based Survey

Attention PML Property Owners: Now is your time to tell us how you feel about Pine Mountain Lake!! Read on to learn how to do this and how you can earn a nice gift for participating.

The PML Long Range Planning Committee and the men and women of PMLA who work on your behalf want your feedback on the current services and amenities that are funded by your assessments. We also would like to hear your ideas for improving this great place in which we all live.

Under the sponsorship of the LRPC, we are launching a web-based survey to get your input. As of July 1, PML's official website, www.pinemountainlake.com, will have a link to an online survey which will ask you for your opinions. The survey is intended to establish a baseline of property owner data so that recommendations can be made regarding where further improvements within PML should be made to benefit the largest population. The survey has three distinct sections of questions:

- Property owner demographic data
- Current amenities/services feedback
- Future improvements

Hopefully many of you will take advantage of this cost-effective way (no postage required!) of collecting data. We know that

many of you are busy but we want to hear from a MAJORITY of you so we can make intelligent, data-driven recommendations on improvements to PML.

The official timeframe for completing the survey is 90 days – July 1 to October 1, 2007. We are asking that each adult property owner only submit one survey. (Spouses and multiple adult property owners can each submit a separate survey if so desired.) Most importantly, we want to hear from ALL property owners, especially those of you who consider PML your occasional residence as well as those who are lucky enough to say PML is their primary residence.

We are also offering an incentive to encourage you to complete the survey. All survey submitters who provide their name and contact info will be entered into a drawing for THREE \$100 gift certificates for use at such PML amenities as the golf course and/or country club. The drawing will take place in October and the winners will be announced in November.

So don't delay, complete the survey now! If you can't (or prefer not to) use the online web-based survey, you can get a hardcopy of the survey from the PMLA offices and complete/return it to them. Be assured that all responses will be kept confidential and the results of the survey will be disseminated at future property owner meetings and in articles in the PML News.

June PML Ladies Golf Club

By Sue Perry

The Pine Tree Invitational Tournament was the highlight of the month of June. Our theme this year was Niftee 50's. The event was kicked off by our annual BBQ and chipping & putting contest on Wed., June 20th. A huge thanks goes to Gary Oing and his crew for running this event. They did a superb job. We all enjoyed a beautiful evening and a great contest.

The following two days, June 21 and 22nd, we played golf and enjoyed lots of good food. The format was Cha Cha Cha on the first day and The Twist on the second day. Virginia Tallman, (captain) and Jenny Dwailabee (co-captain) chaired this tournament and all their hard work paid off as a great time was had by all 140 players. Thank you to them and their entire committee for the months of hard work that went into planning and executing of this wonderful tournament. There were four flights competing with the following results: Chiffons...1st Flight---1st Lay, Ulrich, Compton, Rodriguez...255, 2nd Hankin, Gray, Maxwell, Delozier...264, 3rd Roberts, Briscoe, Edgerton, Frances...272, 4th Perry, Williams, Oing, Moreton...272, 5th Wall, Falk, Cordle, Boderman...273 Marvelettes...2nd Flight---1st Harvey, Melinn, Kitagawa, Scott...268, 2nd Mattocks, Ellis, Hancock, Nolte...269, 3rd Dickson, Antonelli, Gshwend, Niewmann...269, 4th Maguire, Shutz, Raine, Gillihan...271, 5th Stevens, Poytress, Connelly, Petruccio...273, Ronettes...3rd Flight---1st Dean, Antazio, Tallman, Slamowitz...264, 2nd McLaughlin, Smith, Awai, Schneider...266, 3rd Smith, Duste, Drew, Kelly...268, 4th Dwailabee, Lockie, Harlan, Gabrielli...269, 5th Rathert, McCarthy, Dust, Knight...272, Supremes...4th Flight---1st Mallman, Mallman, Robertson, Shoemaker...261, 2nd Hathaway, Torpey, Menacho, Huntsman...266, 3rd Houser, Burke, Stoll, Schaefer...268, 4th Davis, Glattke, Baker, Oglesby...270--closest to the hole ---June 21, 2007 #14 Member...1st S. Perry 3'4". 2nd M. Scott 5'10", Guest...1st A. Huettis 4'1". 2nd S. Sachs 4'6", # 17 Member..S. Kenyon 5'9". S. Derodeff 10'81/2" , Guest...B. Moreton 5'4", S. Ulrich 6'5", June 22, 2007 # 14 Member...L. Craft 10'2". J. Smith 11'4". Guest...B. Baker 5'9", P. Shoemaker 5'9", # 17 Member...L. Dust 11'7", K. Roman 49'8", Guest...C.

Pillow 7', C. Christensen 10'9"

This event could not be successful without the help of the staff from the PML Golf shop and Head Golf Pro Chris Borrego, golf course Maintenance crew, Tom Dorsey, Country Club Manager, Orpheus Brown, Chef and staff, and all the sponsors and volunteers. Thank you!

June 7th ...Gross, Net, Putts

Ace Of Aces: Sara Hancock & Jeanne Pacco...70

1st Flight Hdcp 11-19 ... Low Gross... Priscilla Park...89, 2nd Janice Mussatto ...90, Low Net...Marilyn Scott...72

2nd Flight Hdcp 20-26...Low Gross... Lynne Dust...94, 2nd Jennifer Dwailabee...97, Low Net...Sara Hancock, 3rd Flight Hdcp 27-34...Low Gross... Helena McMillan...101, 2nd Joanne Foster..., Low Net...Jeanne Pacco...98

4th Flight Hdcp 35-40...Dotty Davis...115, 2nd Jeanne Clemson...115, 3rd Norma Menacho...116, Low Net...Ann Hankin...108, 2nd Peggy Breece...113, 3rd Leanna Mattea...119

Low Putts...Lynne Dust...28 Birdies: K. Edgerton #3

June 14th...6-6-6

1st Place...125 A. Peterson, T. Melinn. 2nd Place...N. Menacho, S. Hancock, P. Gshwend, J. Awai, 3rd Place...129 M. Houser, C. Stevens, 4th Place...129 K. Edgerton, H. McMillan, G. Lay, M. Scott

BIRDIES: K. Shehorn # 10 (from 6-7-07)

June 28th...Team Bingo

1st Place...42 Bingos S. Derodeff, P. Park

2nd Place...39 Bingos G. Dickson, N. Harlan, J. Foster, B. Connelly, 3rd Place K. Oing, P. Peebles, S. Perry, J. Sample 3rd Place tie...32 Bingos H. McMillan, M. Scott, N. Menacho

Birdies: P. Park #10, B. Connelly # 17, J. Foster # 17, I. Moffitt #10, S. Perry # 3

Mark your calendars, ladies, for our upcoming events in the month of July: July 12th...Ladies invite the Men...1:30 P.M. shotgun with dinner to follow. July 26th...Charity Day...8A. M. with Luncheon. Sara Hancock would like to remind you to sign up for the next Saturday mixer on August 18th. The weather is heating up so stay cool out there! ☺

FIRE ABATEMENT

Now is the time to start clearing grass, weeds, brush and trimming those trees. Help Keep PML Fire Safe!

ALL PROPERTIES MUST HAVE MET

PML FIRE SAFETY

REQUIREMENTS

BY JUNE 15, 2006

IS YOURS DONE?

For more information please call Larry at (209)-962-8616



Cooler Summer Starting Times and Our September Fall Tournament Plans

by Bob Cowley

We started our summer schedule with a shotgun start at 7:30 AM on July 4th. The early start was just in time to avoid the 100 degree temperatures we have been getting. 21 members enjoyed the early tee time and, except for the sun in your eyes on the 10th tee, it was a great day.

Our next big event is the Fall Men's Nine Hole Golf Club Tournament. Here is the schedule. On September 5th we will tee off at 12:17 PM on the front nine. On Friday, September 7th, we tee off on the back nine at 7:30 AM. Our Awards Banquet will follow in the dining room soon after the golf. Look for our flyer with all the details and costs. Sign up early and have a good time.

Look for upcoming announcements concerning general membership meetings, news on members' handicaps, games to be played on future dates, and many other features of interest for our members and guests on our website at: <http://www.freewebs.com/pmlm9h>.

Membership in the Men's Nine Hole Golf Club is open to any man who is a member in good standing of the Pine Mountain Lake Association. If you are

new to Golf or returning to Golf after an extended absence, please consider the Men's Nine Hole Golf Club as an alternative to playing 18 holes.

Please contact Wally Child 962-0723, Bob Oakley 962-4799, Bob Cowley 962-6245 or Steve Thompson 962-6154, for further information on how to join us for our weekly games.

We are currently teeing off from #10 at 7:30 AM on Wednesdays until September 5th, when we return to our 12:17 PM starting time on the 1st tee. ☞

Games scheduled for August are:

- Aug. 1 Four man bramble
- Aug. 8 Low Putts
- Aug. 15 Beat the pros
- Aug. 22 Four man scramble
- Aug. 29 Green, forward tee

Games scheduled for September are:

- Sept. 5 Fall Tournament – Day one
- Sept. 7 Fall Tournament – Day two – 7:30 AM start followed by banquet
- Sept. 12 Low net plus putts
- Sept. 19 One man scramble
- Sept. 26 Four man best ball

A 4th of July Tradition

It was another Yankee Doodle Dandee as the Country Mountain Riders put on their best Independence Day Barbecue and Show ever at the refurbished PML Equestrian Center. It started quietly. The Country Mountain Riders staff waited anxiously in the red, white and blue decorated area for the revelers to arrive. The cooks, in anticipation, had the first of the 400 pounds of Tri Tip sizzling on the grill. The salad was tossed, the beans were stirred and the raffle chance sellers were standing in wait, all beaming, ready to go. The Color Guard and Drill Team thought to put another layer of polish on their saddles before called upon to parade their sharply groomed horses.

They dribbled in slowly at first, but before long, torrents of patriotic patrons filled the empty seats and lined up for the tasty barbecue.

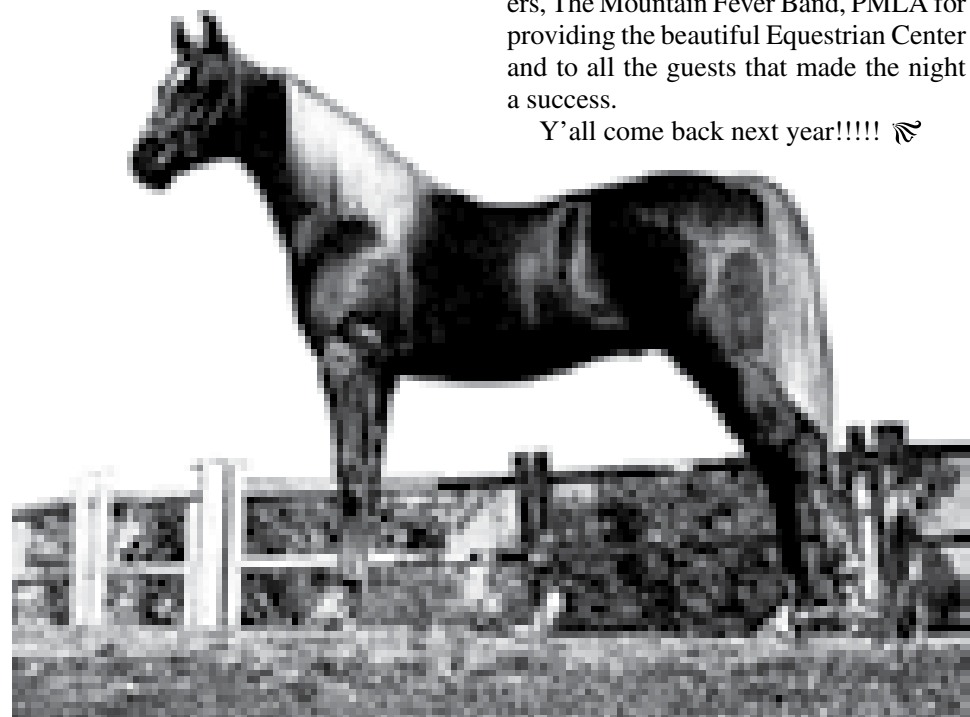
The evening entertainment ran with nary a stop beginning with a spectacular

Air Show featuring our fabulous PML Aviators piloting 14 aerobatic, vintage & sport types aircraft with the Extra 300's and Ryans stealing the show with a breathtaking display overhead to the oohs and aahs of the crowd.

The CMR Horse and Rider Color Guard plunked on everyone's patriotic heartstrings and brought tears to their eyes as the red, white and blue proudly unfurled in the center of the arena to America's National Anthem and they were followed by a much enjoyed attraction: the Exhibition and Demonstration of Breeds featuring our Country Mountain Riders.....The show ended with a black powder and balloons Sharpshooting Routine which got it's share of laughs and applause.....and when the party ended, the scene was struck with the efficiency and swiftness of a traveling circus.

The Country Mountain Riders would like to give thanks to those Fantastic Flyers, The Mountain Fever Band, PMLA for providing the beautiful Equestrian Center and to all the guests that made the night a success.

Y'all come back next year!!!! ☞



MUSICIANS WANTED!

The 19th Hole Lounge at Pine Mountain Lake Country Club is looking for experienced musicians.

If you are a solo pianist or guitarist, jazz duo, trio or combo vocal group; play contemporary rock, bluegrass or country music and can entertain for 3 to 4 hours, Please contact the Country Club Bar Manager, Charlie Bishop, at 962-8636 Monday through Friday 9am-4pm.

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Golf Maintenance

By Alan MacDonald, Golf Course Superintendent

Every year for the past 30 years or so, Pine Mountain Lake has scheduled a site visit from the U.S.G.A. This year they were here July 2nd and we did a tour of the course.

Matt Nelson from the U.S.G.A. covered many different areas of golf maintenance. We discussed tree maintenance and the effects of trees on the health of the turf. One of our major assets is our oaks and pines and we try to include some maintenance on a yearly basis. In early 2007 Costa's Tree Service did some maintenance to the large oak on 18 fairway. While in the tree he found decay and rot. With this knowledge we can plant around this tree and have something there when it does fail.

We went to the tee on hole #5 and showed him the new path there. We

discussed other areas where we could improve playability and safety by routing the existing path another direction.

Last year we discussed fairway and approach topdressing. It is well documented the benefits received from the procedure and we have begun a topdressing program.

We also will receive a report from his visit and should anyone be interested in reading it, give us a call at 962-8610.

Now that summer is in full swing, we are also. Through the fall months we will be topdressing greens, approaches and fairway (selected areas) on a regular schedule as events allow. There will be some days when the light sand application will be more evident. Please be patient, we are only trying to improve the playing conditions for the long haul. 🌿

Windjammer News July 10, 2007

By Steve Engstrom

The July 4th weekend (observed) at PML found the Windjammers moving their boats off the Dunn Ct. Beach on Friday evening in preparation for the Saturday night Fireworks display. Many thanks to all those property owners near Dunn Ct. Beach that allowed us to temporarily park our boats on their beaches. Sunday morning found the club members moving all the boats back to the beach and preparing for the days activities that were Captained (hosted) by Rob and Sally Eccles. Before the sailing events began, a potluck lunch was shared by all, with the club supplying hamburgers and hot dogs grilled by our hosts.

The first race was the "fun" event that involved locating the "committee" boat that was somewhere on the lake and retrieving a balloon that this boat dropped, and then returning to Dunn Court Beach with the balloon intact. The event was won by Chuck Berghoff and Craig Wynn, proving that a mono hulled boat can win against the onslaught of 16' Hobie Cats!

The next two races were both done sailing from start/finish near Dunn Court rounding the first mark near the Marina, the second mark at the far east end of the lake, and then back to start/finish. The first race was won by John Randolph and yours truly, and the second race was won by Kurt Petersen and his sister Tina. One of our newest members had a little trouble landing his sailboat at the beach (actually chasing his wife off the beach) and thus was awarded the "bonehead". While we want to avoid any embarrassment of a new member, his first name is Tom!

Prizes for each of the races was a 3 CD set of music entitled "Open Road Rock" supplied by our Event Captains. The titles on these CD's are old favorites, perfect for traveling America.

Please come and join us, especially at our major holiday events as we are in the planning for some sailing lessons and rules training. See our Web Site at: www.geocities.com/waindjammer_pml 🌿

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The events for the rest of the season are as follows:

EVENT	DATE	DAY	EVENT CAPTAIN
Open Sail	July 21	Sat.	Jim Wilbanks
Open Sail	Aug 12	Sun.	Bob Haliwell
Labor Day	Event TBD	TBD	Jim and Miss C Wilbanks
Move Boats from Beach	Oct. 27	Sat.	Chuck & Sue Berghoff
End of Season Dinner	Oct. 27	Sat.	Dave and Tania Madfes



ENTERTAINMENT

COMING TO THE 19TH HOLE LOUNGE
IN AUGUST

Motown Review Band "Prestige"

OUR NINERS ARE HOT, HOT, HOT!

Our niner's are pretty cool but the temperature is in the triple digits. There were many brave walkers out there on Thursday the 5th.

On June 7th, our team play day, the PML Niners came in first now tying for 3rd place with Elkhorn. On June 19th, we played at Sequoia Woods and now clinched third place. We are hoping to move up at Mace Meadows on July 17th. Thank you ladies for coming out.

Our Team Play day went off well thanks to all the markers, bag men, registrars, the planners of our breakfast and lunches and our head marker, Claudette. Our markers did a great job and we heard the food was good. We had nothing but compliments on how well everything went and how friendly our ladies were. Well done ladies.

Three ladies went to the Villages for their two day Invitational: Anne Clark, Barbara Davis and Jane Reynolds. Anne's team had a three way tie for first place in her division and Jane Reynolds team came in first in the "B" Division. We had lots of fun and we encourage others to go next year also.

Reminders:

- August 2nd Corena Green Classic at Castlewood
- August 9th Eclectic #3 & TOC - 2
- August 23rd Eclectic #4 & TOC - 3
- August 8:00 AM Shotgun

PLAY DAY RESULTS:

June 14th, STRAIGHT PLAY: 1st Flight: 1st, B. Davis; 2nd, J. Reynolds; 3rd G. Dielman. 2nd Flight: 1st, Flo Jansen; 2nd, W. Paterson; 3rd, M. Reynolds. 3rd Flight: 1st, C. Fratus; P.Stevens, 2nd. PARS: D. Hicks, S. Colley, & G. Dielman # 14. C. Babyak #14 & 17. CHIP IN: C. Babyak #17. LOW NET: Barbara Davis, 35.

June 28th, PUTTS DAY: 1st Flight: Ann Clark & Jane Reynolds (16). 2nd place, Shirley Colley, (19). 2nd Flight: Barbara Haiges (15). 3rd Flight: 1st, Flo Jansen (17); 2nd, Patti Stevens (18). LOW NET: Cyndy Krout (36). 🏌️

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Pine Mountain Lake Men's Golf Club

By Dick Faux

We are more than half way through our 2007 tournament schedule with many of the major tournaments coming up. The highlight of the year, the Motherlode Invitational, was held July 19th, 20th and 21st. Tournament Chairman Tom Bickmore stated that he had a full field. Tournament highlights will be posted next month.

As the saying goes "We are looking for a few good men". In this case, we are looking for candidates to fill two vacancies on the Men's Golf Club Board of Directors. If you are interested in serving on the Board, contact any current Board member, John Baker or Bill McMillan. New Board members will be elected by the members at the annual business meeting scheduled for 9-22-07. 🏌️

We have some fun tournaments scheduled for the next four months. Check out the schedule below and get your entry forms in the proshop or online at WWW.PMLMGC.COM.

Tournament	Date	Format	Registration Deadline
Individual Net Championship combined with NCGA Net Amateur Qualifier	Sat/Sun. Aug. 4&5	100% of handicap will be used. 2 low net scores qualify. Max index of 33.4	Aug. 1
Men's Club Monthly Special	Wed. Aug. 8	A-B-C-D Computer Draw; 3 Best Balls	Aug. 6
Hamburger Tournament	Sat. Aug. 25	2 man scramble (holes 1-9), Modified Scotch (holes 10-18).	Aug. 22
Men's Club Monthly Special	Wed. Sept. 5	A-B-C-D Computer draw: 4 man Scramble	Sept. 3
Couples Net Championship	Sat/Sun. Sept. 8/9	Combined score of both balls both days. Max index 33.4	Sept. 3
Match Play Championship Finals	Sat. Sept. 15	80% Handicap will be used	Sept.10
Annual Business Meeting	Sat. Sept. 22	2 Man Point Par, Computer Draw	Sept. 18
Men's Club Monthly Special	Wed. Oct. 10	A-B and C-D Computer Draw; Scramble, Best Ball, Modified Scotch Every 6 Holes. 2 Team Scores Combined.	Oct. 8
Italian Invitational	Sat. Oct. 13	4 Man Scramble	Oct. 9
Turkey Shoot	Sat. Nov. 10	Sign up as 4 man team. 3 best balls of foursome. Max. index of 33.4	Nov. 6

* Please, all entries must be accompanied with a check

Golf Quiz:
(Simple questions this month).

1. Q. A player's ball lies several inches to the side of a sprinkler head. The sprinkler head does not physically interfere with the player's stance or the area of his intended swing. However it bothers the player. Is the player entitled to relief?
2. Q. A player's ball plugged deeply in short rough. No casual water was visible on the surface but the pitch-mark in which the ball came to rest is filled with water. Was the player's ball in casual water?

Joe Smith's Laws of golf:

Law 1: No matter how bad your last shot was, you should have inner peace knowing that a worse shot is yet to come. This law does not expire on the 18th hole since it has a supernatural tendency to extend over the course of a tournament, a summer and, eventually, a lifetime.

Law 2: Your best round of golf will be followed almost immediately by your worst round ever. The probability of the latter increases with the number of people that you tell about the former.

Law 3: Brand new golf balls are water-magnetic. Though this cannot be proven in the lab, it is a known fact that the more expensive the golf ball, the greater it's attraction to water. Expensive golf clubs have been known to be partly made with this unusual natural alloy.

More laws of golf next month...

1. ANSWER: No. But good try.
2. ANSWER: Yes

Sign up as 4 man team. 3 best balls of foursome. Max. index of 33.4 Nov. 6

Boat Parade Winners Announced

By Virginia Gustafson

The 2007 PML Boat Parade, organized by Friends of the Lake, was a big success and lots of fun for participants and spectators alike. Kent and Sandy Blankenburg landing on the lake in their Seabee airplane preceded the parade.

Beautifully decorated boats lined up by the dam and proceeded around the lake, led by Keith and Sylvia Zenobia in their unique amphicar. Escorts Dennis and Cynthia DeCant helped people line up and kept the parade moving along. Judges Sandy and Steve Riordan, Marilyn and Bob Bangs, and Janee and Bryce Gustafson had a hard time picking the winners. Several boat owners included music and costumes in addition to their creative boat decorations.

All the boats were wonderful; here are the winners in each category:

- Pontoon boats: Jerry Lynn, Harriet Wallace, the Goodriches and the Phillips in the Happy New Year boat. Bev Clark's pirate boat was a close second.
- Ski or fishing boats: Chris and Brooke Baker in Cinco de Mayo
- Antiques or replicas: the Durie family in the patriotic African Queen
- Non-motorized boats: the Spillane family in the eagle canoe

Winners' names are engraved on the Boat Parade trophies, on display in the Country Club bar. 🦋



Jerry Lynn, Harriet Wallace, Cindi and Jim Goodrich, and friends celebrate New Year's at the boat parade.



The Spillane family's prize-winning eagle canoe.

Calistoga Or Bust

By Carol Morgan

Six RV's traveled north to the Wine Country in early June for three days of experiencing the sights and flavors of the area. So many things to see and enjoy ranging from wineries with their tasting rooms, a geyser (just like Yellowstone!), a wild animal park with a safari trip to visit all sorts of wild animals, good restaurants and the ever popular shopping.

Our hosts were Carol and George Voyvodich with help from Tom and Jeanette Taylor. They served a wonderful breakfast each morning and also arranged a very tasty Italian pot luck dinner which

just happened to be scheduled for an evening that turned cold and windy which forced us to run for shelter in the RV belonging to the Voyvodich family. All 12 of us fit in just fine and enjoyed all the good food and lots of chatter and laughter.

Other campers enjoying the Wine Country trip were Maddie and Joe Sousa, Pat and Rich May, Beverly and Walter Hills and Carol & Dave Morgan. We also enjoyed the company of five dogs; three Dachshunds and two Great Danes!

PMLA Lakers are taking July off and will go to June Lake in August. 🦋

Bottom Photo—Left to right: Safari West Truck/Beverly Hills, Joe Sousa, Maddie Sousa, Walter Hills, Dave Morgan, Carol Morgan. Middle Photo—Cheeta: Cheeta. Top Photo—Calistoga Breakfast: PMLakers at breakfast table. Photos by Dave Morgan.



PML Racquet Club

By Al Peirona

In one of the closest matches in recent years, Italy defeated Spain in an extra tie breaker to win the Davis Cup. Scores were:

Italy	40 points (1st)
Spain	40 points (2nd)
Norway	38 points (3rd)
U.S.A.	30 points (4th)

The victorious winning team consisted of Mike Hankin and Bill Broderson (men's doubles); Judy Olson and Sue Perry (women's doubles) and Dick Davis (Barbara) and Patti Couch (mixed doubles).

Spain team members were Joe Sousa and Al Rodriguez (men's doubles); Dorothy Broderson and Kathy Oing (women's doubles) and Judi Maguire and Jerry De Hart (mixed doubles).

Team Norway fought hard and almost made it a three-way tie. Their players were Dick Olson and Dick Thomson (men's doubles); Ann Hankin and Bambi Johnson (women's doubles) and Bob Mayrend and John Olson (mixed doubles).

That's right....Bob Mayrend and John Olson MIXED DOUBLES. Word has it that problems developed between the two as to "who" was the female.... Olson, being Norwegian, apparently won out.

The USA team was composed of Dave Franz, Gary Oing, Dwaine Carver, Bambi Johnson, Joy Thompson and Jane Reynolds.

As usual, great food associated with each country was on hand. Jerry DeHart and Al Rodriguez put up the flags at the courts. Joanne DeHart helped in setting up at 7 AM. Walt Bales kept score and kept the matches moving.

Jane Reynolds ran and hosted this year's Davis Cup. Via E-mail, thanks went out to all who brought such great food, the helpers that cleaned up and everyone who helped in any other way.

Thanks to Administration and especially Rick Whybra, there are now 4 new eating tables at the Tennis Center.

About 30 attended the 2nd quarterly meeting in June. Something new was tried. The meeting was held at the Tennis Center. Tri-tip and chicken, etc. was served. President Al Rodriguez, along with Barbara headed the affair.

The same format is planned for the September meeting.

Tuesday nite socials at the Tennis Center continue. Starting time is 5 PM with burgers, brats and drinks at about 6 PM. You do not need to be a member or possess a tennis pass to come.

The tennis web page will probably be up and running by August. One just needs to log on to pinemountainlake.com and then link to the tennis. Thanks to Bob Oakley and Jerry DeHart.

Racquet Club has announced a new member. This is Steven Roberts, a

young man and son of Jim and Karen Roberts.

No tennis activity until the Mixed Doubles Championship on Sept. 8 and Men's and Women's Doubles on Sept. 22.

Pine Mountain Lake Activities

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- Four hour stop over at the WASSUP mountains, and three hour stop over at the CARSON VALLEY INN (coming back)
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Convenient bus pickup at the upper 9th green parking lot (opposite the tennis courts near the PML Country Club).

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For more information and reservations contact:
 Nancy Perry at 762-8532
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ANNOUNCEMENTS, ACTIVITIES, & CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CALENDAR

Aug 4, 2007: Battle of Sawmill Flat ~ Old Columbia Foot Dragoons - 533-3663

Aug 5, 2007: Flea Market in Downtown Groveland - 209-962-0429

Aug 10, 2007: Magic Of The Night - Summertime Street Celebration - Sonora - (209) 532-7725

Aug 10, 2007: Kausper Comedy Group - Sonora Opera Hall (209)770-7173

DANCE PARTY NEWS

August 10

The previous coordinator of the Dance Party, Mr. Harry Maier, has graciously turned over the reigns to "new age" D.J.'s, Bob and Carol. The Dance Party will resume its dances, once a month, starting on Friday, August 10th. We have scheduled regular dances to be held the second Friday of each month through November and will also have a New Year's Eve dance. The location is the PML Lake Lodge, starting at 7:30pm to 11:00pm.

Cost is \$3 per person or \$5 per couple, BYOB and an "optional" hors d'oeuvre to share; attire is casual. Dancing style will be mixed ballroom, latin, rock, swing, or whatever you choose, to the tunes of such artists as: The Eagles, Rod Stewart, Ray Charles, Bobby Darin, Roy Orbison, Norah Jones, Michael Buble, etc. No reservations are required but, for more information, you may call Bob or Carol at 962-7254.

Aug 11, 2007: Blues Festival - 12th Annual - Sonora - (209) 533-3473

GROVELAND SUMMER CRAFT FAIR

August 11 & 12

2nd annual Garrotte Lions Summer Craft Fair will be held Saturday, August 11th, 10 am to 5 pm and Sunday, August 12th, 10 am to 4 pm at the Groveland Community Hall. Come see and buy from your local crafters and non-profit organizers with home made items. Admission is free.

Garrotte Lions will have food and beverages for sale. All Lions proceeds will be directed toward local community projects.

For more information call Lion President Wanda Day at 962-6179 or Erma Millheim at 962-7631. Make your plans now to attend or participate. See you there.

Aug 12, 2007: Pinecrest Run - 31st Annual

Aug 22 - 31, 2007: Sonora Pass Wagon Train 10th Anniversary Ride - (209) 586-3007

Aug 23 - Sep 15, 2007: Murphys Creek Theatre presents "Humble Boy" by Charlotte Jones - (209) 728-8422

PINE CONE SINGERS POTLUCK

August 27

The Pine Cone Performers -- Singers and Players -- will hold their annual "GTATFOWH" (Get Together Again To Find Out What's Happening) potluck dinner on Monday evening, August 27, at 6:00 PM in the Groveland Community Hall. Former members, current members, and would-be members are all invited! Bring your own table service and beverages, plus a dish to share: hors d'oeuvres, veggie/salad, main dish, or dessert.

This is the time when the group gets back together to find out what's in store for the new year: What repertoire the Singers will be learning for their Winter Holiday Concert slated for performance the second weekend in December; and what play (or plays?) the Players will be performing in the spring. Dennis Brown is continuing as choral director, and Nancy Robichaud will continue to direct the Players.

The Pine Cone Singers, under the direction of Dennis Brown, will then begin rehearsals the following afternoon, Tuesday, August 28, at 3:00 PM in the community hall. All voices are welcome: soprano, alto, tenor, and bass. Dues are \$30. per season. Any questions should be directed to 962-6892.

Aug 27 - Sep 28, 2007: Central Sierra Arts Council: "Ink and Clay" (209) 532-2787

Aug 30 - Sep 3, 2007: Strawberry Fall Music Festival - 209-984-8630

ON-GOING ACTIVITIES

COMMUNITY DRUMMING GROUP

Sponsored by the Gathering Place. Second Wednesday of every month. From 6:00 - 7:30 pm
Place: Groveland Library Conference Room (bottom floor)

Everyone is welcome, kids too! If you have a drum, bring it. We have extras.

HOT LUNCHESES FOR SENIORS

Sierra Foothill Senior Management Inc. serves hot lunches at noon Mondays & Tuesdays at Groveland Community Hall, also Thursdays at Big Oak Flat First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall, 11345 Wards Ferry Road. For information and/or reservations, call 962-6700. Anyone 60 or older is welcome. If a couple, only one needs to be 60. A \$3.25 donation is requested but no senior is denied a meal. There is a \$6.25 charge for anyone younger than 60.

AMERICAN LEGION POST #300 WEEKLY LUNCHEON AND DINNER POTLUCK

2nd Tuesdays (lunch), 3rd Thursdays (dinner)
Luncheon meets at 11:30 at The Big Oak Restaurant, Hwy 120, Big Oak Flat. Potluck dinner meets at 6:15 PM at the Groveland Community Hall 209/962-5647.

BRIDGE AT THE LAKE LODGE

Mondays • 10:15 AM & 10:30 AM

All bridge players are welcome. Men (10:15 AM) call Bill Mingus at 209/962-4240 for reservations. Women (10:30 AM) call Norma Anderson at 209/962-0645 for reservations.

AEROBICS & SCULPTING EXERCISE BY VIDEO

Mondays & Wednesdays • 9 AM

Reach your fitness goals! These classes are suitable for all fitness levels. Classes are free. Join us at the Lake Lodge to be led by a variety of videos featuring certified fitness instructors. For more information and scheduling contact Barb at 209/962-6457 or Marie at 209/962-7905.

SIERRA CLUB HIKE OF THE WEEK

Thursdays • 8 AM

Midweek Hikes in the Groveland Area on Thursdays. Weather permitting, each Thursday meet at Mary Laveroni Community Park in Groveland at 8 AM for an approximate 6-mile hike. Bring a jacket, water, sunscreen and a snack in a daypack and wear hiking boots. The hike is generally followed by a no-host lunch at a local restaurant. Call Frank Oyung for further details 209/962-7585.

BRIDGE (DUPLICATE) AT THE LAKE LODGE

2nd & 4th Thursdays

All bridge players are welcome. Call Ann Laffin 209/962-6394 for information.

WOMEN'S SUPPORT/ DISCUSSION GROUP

Attention Pine Mountain Lake and Groveland Area Ladies: A new women's support/discussion group will be forming. Days and times will be determined by participants. It is time to do something for yourselves. Make new friends, get rid of some old emotional baggage, and share your knowledge and experience. Call me. Let's talk.

Etty Garber, PhD. 209-962-5205.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HIGH COUNTRY LINE DANCERS

High Country Line Dancers at Groveland Community Hall - 7-9 p.m. every Tuesday evening. Beginner line dancing lessons 7-8 p.m.; intermediate/advanced lessons and dancing 8-9 p.m. Everyone welcome! Instructor: Susan Nash. \$2.00 per person. For more info, call Carol Stevens at 962-0406 or Sue Salnick at 962-4155.

MOVIES AT MOUNTAIN SAGE

Whatever will you do with that friend visiting on a cold August day? Come drink a latte and catch an old flick in the cozy café of Mountain Sage. We thought you'd appreciate more than one, so on Saturdays we will have a theme of movies playing all afternoon and into the early evenings. Come let your hair down after a morning of shopping, hiking or playing and catch a classic scene! For specific movie listings, check with Mountain Sage at www.mtnsage.com or 962-4686.

WHITEWOLF ART GALLERY EXHIBITS

The Whitewolf Art Gallery features a new artist every three weeks. Come on in to see what's happening. Please call 962-0342 for information or to inquire about exhibiting.

SOROPTIMIST MEETINGS

The Soroptimist International of Groveland will meet the first four Tuesdays of the month at the Pine Mountain Lake Country Club at 12:30 pm. For information regarding membership, please contact Cindi Goodrich at 209-962-4660.

POISON OAKERS SQUARE DANCERS

The Poison Oakers Square Dancers meet on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Greeley Hill Community Hall, 10332 Fiske Rd. We dance from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Our caller, Buck Davis, comes from Turlock.

We welcome everyone who likes to dance - even if you have two left feet. We have adults and teenagers. It is such good exercise and you meet wonderful people.

For more information, please call Irene Rhyne at 878-3537 or Adrienne Carter - 962-4147.

PAINT YOSEMITE & THE SCENIC SIERRA

Enjoy additional plein-air workshops utilizing watercolor, acrylics and/or oil. Award-winning artists are featured to teach each class.

In August Jim Salchak will instruct from August 5th through the 10th.

Bonus presentation this is FREE to the public: Jim is offering a slide/lecture on the art of John Singer Sargent on Tuesday, August 7th, at the Pine Mountain Lake Country Club.

For more information, call 858-945-1817 or 949-553-9130.

Have an announcement, on-going activity or an event?

This is a great way to get Pine Mountain Lake residents (full-time and part-time) information about your fun so don't miss out!

Columbia College names 118 students on Dean's List

Columbia College named 118 students on its Dean's List for the spring 2007 semester. The Dean's List acknowledges full-time students, who have achieved a cumulative 3.5 grade point average (G.P.A.) or better with no grade lower than "C" and at least 12 completed units of work in associate degree-applicable courses.

By cities, Sonora residents ranked the highest with 49 on the Dean's List. This was followed by Murphys, 7 and Tuolumne, 6. Columbia, Groveland, Jamestown and Soulsbyville each had 5.

DEAN'S LIST SPRING 2007 SEMESTER

Listed in Alphabetical Order by Home/Residing Cities

Angels Camp
David P. Cline
Andrew D. Collum
Lando Stevens Greene
Marie Clarisse H. Valera

Bridgeport
Antonio S. Westerlund

Cheney
Jess J. Donnerberg

Columbia
Caitlin L. Deatsch
Heather Jorgensen
Jessica G. Ocock
Arlene J. Sprague
Rhonda A. Woodlief

Groveland
Nathan C. Helms
Joseph L. Izzo
Stephanie N. Merriott
Suzanne Ojeda
Katie E. Wrighton

Jamestown
Francesca M. DeLuca
Yanet Herrera
Kayla M. Rodgers
Jungsoo F. Thery
Joseph M. Vershay

La Grange
Glenda S. Dortch

Mi-Wuk Village
Julia Stephens
Dan P. Demattei

Midpines
Nicholas A. Hernandez

Sonora
Sadie E. Anderson
Dana M. Baker
Elizabeth M. Barnhart
Heather L. Baumgardner
Gunner C. Belemecich
Vencenzo J. Bowman
Trevor D. Carter
Melissa J. Cavener-Grace
Marcus A. Cendro
Jason A. Conger
Amy C. Cooper
Monica E. Day
Brenda N. Dorsett
Ryan R. Downey
Lara M. Ford
Kimberly A. Francis
Kristen L. Gardner
Meisha K. Grichuhin
Dennis M. Hallmeyer

Stephanie L. Hanks
Shane A. Hark
Sarah R. Hartman
Taryn N. Horn
Jeffrey D. James
Cameron T. Jones
Molly M. Jones
Gabriella J. Kagay
Sean A. Leingang
Catherine M. Loftus
Melissa M. Mainguth
Tylar J. McCoy-Johnson
Kassie R. Minners
Raul Humberto Murillo
Stephanie M. Popke
Robin E. Retherford
Andrew J. Riggs
Christina M. Roberts
Adam C. Robertson
Tyler B. Schuster
Krysta J. Sergent
Katie L. Smith
Courtney J. Sperry
Amanda M. Stevens
Phillip J. Summers
Laine Tennyson
Melissa Urquhart
Samuel L. Warren
Megan J. Webbon
Elizabeth A. Young

Soulsbyville
Angelina Barbour
Ben T. Deutsch
Jon-Michael Newsom
Jackie A. Roberts
Natalie K. Sell

Tuolumne
Susannah M. Frantz
Joseph T. Hall
Noreen H. Pierce
Lorri K. Summers
Colin M. Taylor
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Tenaya Honor Roll

4th grade

4.0>
3.5-3.99>Raymond Albanez, Allison Carver, Christine Conley, Adam Gonzalez, Bryan Larrea, Donavin Lingley, Heidi McAdams, Kailey McDonald, Krysti Mitchell, Lelan Sawtelle, Shawn Shimer
3.35-3.49>Joseph Kekahuna, Parrish Rusher

5th Grade

4.0>Danielle Perreira, Cyrena Scott
3.5-3.99>Giovani Amoroso, John Anthony Bustos, Saphrina Bradshaw, Katelyn Dauth, Eric Emel, Cassidy Gempler, Harley Gottberg, Kyle Kirk, Jenna Leija, Christopher Mendoza, Nichole Pestoni, Ryan Puou, Jessica Ribera, Dominick Salazar, Matthew Spring, Caleb Wooldridge
3.35-3.49>Megan Toney

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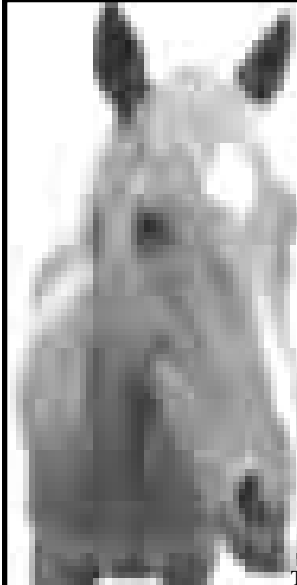
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3.35-3.49>Michaela Busler, Brittany Miller, Leland Miller, Jordan Rodriguez

7th Grade

4.0>Jonathon Hilton, Preston West
3.49-3.99>Caitlen Amos, Jessica Dunne, Kylie Gempler, Kelsie Klaahsen, Austin McKinsey, Ian Merzwinski, Adam Russell
3.35-3.49> Shauna Hancock, Taylor May

8th Grade

4.0>Christy Emel, Dana Marler
3.5-3.99>Trevor Barnes, Zack Bechthold, Colin Campbell, Derek Dauth, Krystal Edman-Wilson, Christopher Guerrero, Stephanie Hoffman, Kendall Jose, Stefan Karunos IV, Patrick Kerrigan, Michaela Maier, Danny Martin, Logan Shaw, Alexa Summers, Bethany Wilkinson, Kevin Yaver
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Middle Photo: Soroptimist Jeanne Brunk looks on after "assisting" new President Cindi Goodrich into the pool!

Top Photo: Region Governor, Lauren Ogbourne installs new President and President Elect.



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Shari Grossman & Richard P. Grossman

- Five signers were captured by the British as traitors and were tortured to death.
- Twelve had their homes ransacked and burned.
- Two lost their sons who served in the Revolutionary Army. Another two had sons who were captured.
- Nine of the 56 fought and died from wounds or hardships of the Revolutionary War. They pledged their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor.

What kind of men were they?

- Twenty-four were lawyers and jurists.
- Eleven were merchants.
- Nine were farmers and plantation owners.
- All were men of means and well-educated but they signed the Declaration of Independence knowing that the penalty would be death if they were captured.

Carter Braxton of Virginia, a wealthy planter and trader, saw his ships swept from the seas by the British Navy. He sold his home and properties to pay his debts and died in rags.

Thomas McKean was so hounded by the British that he was forced to move his family constantly. He served in the Congress without pay and his family was kept in hiding. His possessions were taken and poverty was his reward.

Vandals or soldiers looted the properties of Ellery, Hall, Clymer, Walton, Gwinnet, Heyward, Rutledge and Middleton.

At the Battle of Yorktown, Thomas Nelson, Jr. noted that the British General Cornwallis had taken over the Nelson home for his headquarters. He quietly

urged General Washington to open fire. The home was destroyed and Nelson died bankrupt. The home of Francis Lewis was destroyed. The enemy jailed his wife and she died within a few months.

John Hart was driven from the bedside of his dying wife. Their 13 children fled for their lives. His fields and gristmill were laid to waste. For more than one year, he lived in forests and caves, returning home to find his wife dead and children gone. He died shortly thereafter, heartbroken. Morris and Livingston suffered similar fates.

Such were the stories and scarifices of the American Revolution. These were not wide-eyed, rabble-rousing ruffians. They were soft spoken men of means and education. They had security but they valued liberty more.

Standing tall, straight and unwavering, they pledged:

"For the support of this Declaration, with a firm Reliance on the Protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, fortunes and our sacred honor."

These men gave us a free independent America. The history books never tell us much of what happened in the Revolutionary War. We were British subjects at that time and we fought against our own government. Too often we now take these liberties for granted.

So while taking part in the activities of our daily lives, take a few minutes and silently thank these patriots for their heroic contributions. It is not too much to ask for the price they had to pay. Freedom is never free.

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Bytes & Bits From John

By John Sponseller

Built in wireless capabilities are becoming almost standard equipment on most laptop and home computers these days for a couple of reasons. One of the primary reasons is cost. Adding wireless capacity is so inexpensive that it would be silly for the manufacturers not to add it. The perceived value of any machine with wireless capacity far exceeds the cost to add it. Wireless is the wave of the future, so if the manufacturers want to stay ahead of the technology curve they need to add it to all but their most basic models.

However, if you're like most people you probably can't even check how much memory your computer has, let alone if your computer is wireless enabled. Throw in the fact that you may not even know what wireless networking is and it's easy to ignore even trying to determine if your computer has that capacity. As a result, having ever taken the time to set it up is clearly out of the question.

However, since you bought your computer you've probably heard more and more about "going wireless" because it's becoming the thing to do. If that's the case, there are some things you can do to check if your computer has wireless capabilities.

Laptops—Intel Centrino Mobile Technology Computer manufacturers do less than a perfect job at explaining what this means but if your laptop came with this built in then that's good news for you! In a nutshell, it means that your laptop has wireless networking built right in and you don't have to do a thing. Intel Centrino Mobile Technology is a marketing name for a combination of the Intel Pentium M processor and Intel's Pro Wireless card.

If you have Intel Centrino Mobile Technology, then your computer should have a "Centrino" sticker on it somewhere. If you can't find a sticker but you suspect you had one at one time, then simply do the following. Right click on your "My Computer" icon. It's probably on your desktop but if not then go to your Start Menu, find My Computer, right-click and select Properties. When the menu opens, look at what it says after or under the word Computer.

On a side note, Intel Centrino Mobile Technology also increases battery life and allows manufacturers to build computers smaller. If you can't find anything referring to Intel Centrino Mobile Technology under the word Computer -- don't worry because as long as your laptop has a free card slot, installing wireless is a piece of cake.

Desktop Computers—If you're not sure whether or not your desktop computer

has a wireless connection, the easiest thing to do is to simply turn it around and look for a small aerial sticking out the back towards the bottom. If it's there then you are wireless enabled. On the other hand, if there's nothing then it's still possible that you have a wireless device in the computer, especially if you purchased anytime in 2005 or beyond. However, because it's not the best idea (unless you've done it before) to try and open up your computer to check something, I'll show you a way to check if your wireless enabled using Windows.

Using Windows to Check Wireless Capacity Rather than messing with your computer's hardware to verify what you've got installed, you can just as easily check using your Windows' Device Manager. To use it, right click My Computer / Choose Manage / and then click Device Manager.

After you click Device Manager a list of everything you can install will appear on the right half of the screen. Take a look under Network adapters and ignore anything that says 10/100 or Ethernet because they are simply normal network connections—not wireless ones. If there's anything else there, it could be a wireless device.

If you think you have a wireless device, but it has a yellow warning sign alongside its name in the Device Manager, you should take a look at it to see what's wrong by double clicking on it. Windows should then tell you why the device is not working at the moment and may even suggest that you go through its troubleshooter program. Do that before you do anything else.

If it turns out to be a driver problem, you should insert the driver CD that came with your computer. If you can't find the driver CD that came with your computer - don't worry because you should be able to find and then download the appropriate driver online. The first step would be to go to website of your computer's manufacturer and do a search for the name of the wireless device that showed up in your Device Manager. Once you find the correct driver, simply download it and follow the instructions.

After all this (actually about 5 minutes) you may discover that you don't have a wireless enabled computer—oh well, those are the breaks. However, it's clearly better to find out your computer's wireless capacity now—before you go out and buy some wireless equipment and then realize that you didn't even need it.

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Canada Geese Facts Identification

The Canada goose is one of the most widely distributed waterbirds in North America. Geese can range in size from 22 to 48 inches from beak to feet and can weigh from three to 24 pounds. Large geese can have a wingspan of six feet. The most identifying mark on Canada geese is the white cheek patch. Male (gander) and female (goose) look similar, however, the male is slightly larger.

Canada geese are known for their V-shaped flying patterns and honking sound. The migratory (moving from one place to another) flight of these birds signals the beginning of fall.

PML GOOSE ABATEMENT PROGRAM

Over the last 10 years we have experienced an increase in the number of Canada Geese who have taken up residence within PML and it has been most dramatic within the last three years. The geese feed on the lawns at the Marina, Lake Lodge, Dunn Ct. and the turf at the Golf Course and leave behind pounds of feces. The cost to cleanup all of these areas and the damage to our amenities is significant. The situation has become unacceptable and we are taking steps to mitigate the problem.

As part of our on-going Goose Abatement Program, we will be employing the use of dogs and noise techniques designed to scare the geese from our property. Parts of our noise techniques include the use of pyrotechnic pistols. These are non-lethal devices that give off a loud noise but pose no harm to the geese. It encourages them to take up residence elsewhere. Use of these devices with other varied actions has been successful in the past and we anticipate success in the future. Since we may need to fire off these devices in the morning hours, we are notifying all members in the affected areas so that they do not become alarmed and call law enforcement. Please feel free to pass this information on to your friends and neighbors.

We ask that members do not attack or hurt the geese as Federal law protects them. Also, it is important that no one feed the geese. It is illegal to do so and compounds the problem.

We will continue to provide information on the situation and encourage all of our members to follow the rules and guidelines so that we can reduce the number of geese to a manageable level.

We appreciate your anticipated support to solve this problem and look forward to cleaner beaches and golfing in the future.

Joe Powell, General Manager

Canada geese develop strong bonds with mates and are very protective of their family group. Families migrate together. They stay together in the winter and return to the same nesting area each year. Yearlings (one year old) join other yearlings and move to new areas. Young geese will not find mates and nest until they are three years old.

Habitat & Habits

Canada geese build nests of twigs, grasses, bark, leaves and mosses on the ground near water. Five to six cream colored eggs are laid in March or later in cooler regions. Young geese, called goslings, weigh three to four ounces when they hatch. Within 24 hours they are swimming. Geese are precocial which means they are born with their eyes open, down covered and able to move about freely. Altricial birds like robins are born helpless and need parental support.

Canada geese communicate by using body language and a variety of calls and honking sounds.

Canada geese are herbivores. They feed most often during early morning and late afternoon. They are grazers, which means they eat grasses. They eat a variety of terrestrial plants. They also eat aquatic (water) plants – that is what they are doing when you see them with their heads down in the water.

Living in Harmony

Most of the time Canada geese and humans live in harmony.

- Canada geese are popular waterfowl to hunt and provide a flavorful source of protein
- People enjoy watching geese in parks and refuges
- The song or honk of the Canada goose is heard during the annual fall and spring migrations of these birds.

Living in Conflict

- Canada geese eat crops like wheat, corn, rice, turf grasses (grasses grown for lawns and golf courses) and alfalfa
- Canada geese can collide with aircraft causing fatal results
- Droppings from Canada geese can pollute municipal water supplies and cause

health problems for humans and other animals on golf courses, in parks and residential areas

- Droppings from Canada geese can carry E-coli into swimming areas
- Canada geese can damage landscaping

Preventing Damage Done by Canada Geese

Some methods to prevent damage done by Canada geese include:

- Stop feeding the geese!
- Prevent reproduction – this can be done by egg addling or shaking the eggs.
- Put up physical barriers like fencing. Geese will walk into an area and fencing will keep them out. Grid wires strung across ponds will keep geese from landing.
- Alter habitat – keep the environment unattractive to geese. Allow grass to grow. Geese like short grass where they can “look out” for predators.
- Harassment by:
 - using dogs to chase geese;
 - using specialized fireworks (pyrotechnics) shot out of a pistol to scare geese;
 - hanging mylar tape which is shiny on one side and colored on the other side, may temporarily keep geese away.
- Hunting – is the most efficient way to remove geese and make them wary.
- Repellents – The chemical methyl anthranilate, which historically has been used as the flavoring in grape soda, is now also used as a repellent for Canada geese on lawns and in small pools of water.

Economics of Damage

Between 1991 and 1997, 16,949 civilian aircraft-wildlife strikes were reported to the Federal Aviation Administration. This is less than 20% of the number of strikes that actually occurred. The Air Force reports it has 3,000 bird strikes each year. About 90% of the strikes on aircraft occur on or near airfields when aircraft are below 2,000 feet. Strikes at this altitude are dangerous because aircraft are close to the ground and flight crews are occupied with complex take-off or landing procedures.

The most significant military

aircraft disaster caused by birds occurred at Elmendorf Air Force Base on September 22, 1995. An E-3 Sentry Airborne Warning and Control System aircraft struck several Canada geese on take-off and crashed, killing 24 people. Gulls (32%), waterfowl (31%) and raptors (17%) have been increasing in numbers and are involved in 80% of the reported bird strikes where damage to airplanes occurred.

History

When European settlers came to the New World, they brought with them knowledge of both tame and wild geese from their native lands. It was natural for them to add North American geese to their food supply.

In addition to providing food, goose feathers were used to make beds and goose grease was a valuable substance. It was used for both cooking and medical uses. For example, it was blended with turpentine and rubbed on the chest to ease coughs and colds. It was also thought that it helped relieve earaches and soothe rheumatism.

Folklore tells us that when the meat on the goose's breastbone was thick, it meant a cold winter was on the way. The saying “All is well and the goose hangs high,” meant when the geese were flying high in the sky the weather would be good. The Native Americans thought that a harsh winter would be coming if the geese flew south in early August.

Habitat destruction reduced Canada goose populations to a low of 1.1 million birds in the late 1940's. Today there are more than three times that number (3.7 million). Over \$250 million is raised each year from the sale of “Duck Stamps” (required for all waterfowl hunters) which are used by the government to buy wetland habitat for ducks, geese and hundreds of non-game wildlife species.

Marina Canada Goose Feces Cost Impact Report

- 5,850 lbs. For June (30 days)
- 5,850 lbs. ÷ 30 days = 195 lbs / day (all beaches)
- 5,850 lbs / month × 3 months (June, July, August) = 17,550 lbs.
- Average Salary \$8.50 hour
- Average man-hours / day to pick-up 195 lbs. = 10 hours

Average Manpower Cost

\$8.50 × 10 hours = \$85.00 / day

\$85.00 / day × 30 days (1 month) = \$2,550.00

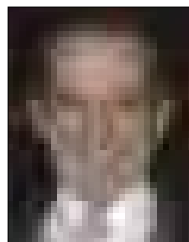
\$2,550.00 / month × 3 months (approx. season) = \$7,650.00

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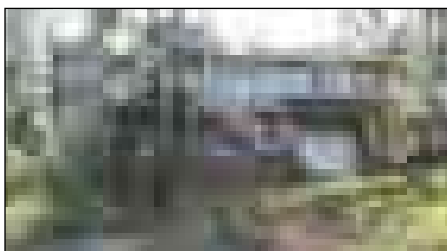
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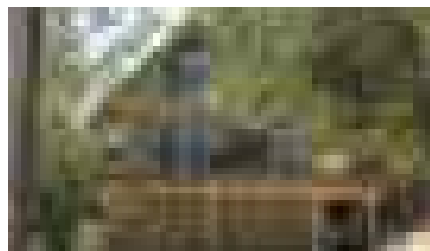
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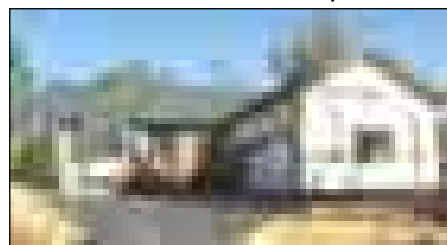
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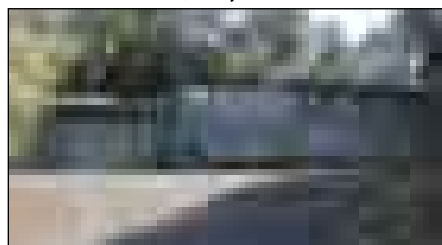
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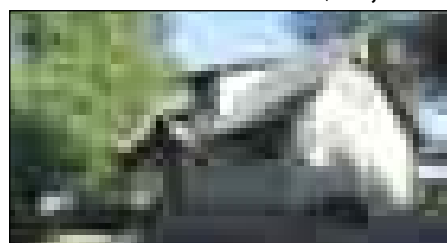
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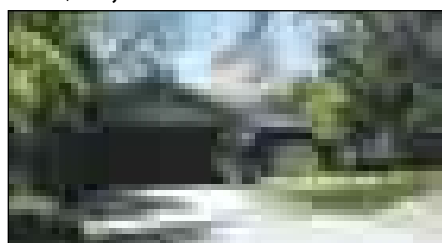
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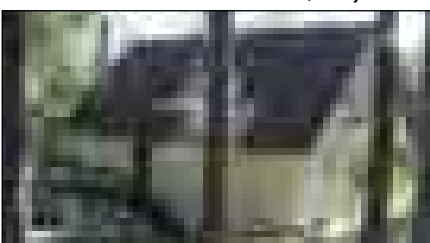
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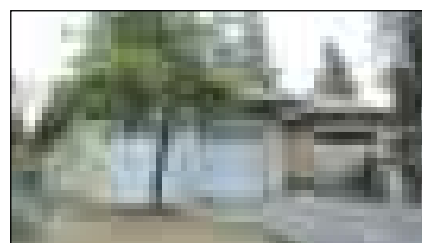
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Columbia College Introduces X-Reg as Shortcut to Student Registration

A brand-new term is being introduced into the Columbia College vocabulary. "X-Reg" or "Xtreme Reg" is an activity that will simplify the school's enrollment procedure for new incoming students by making all requirements and services available on two days in August at the Sonora campus.

Students can choose to attend either one of two Xtreme Reg sessions. The first session, titled "Know no barriers," will be held on Saturday, Aug. 11 from 8 a.m. to 4:30

p.m. The second session is appropriately named "The sequel" and will be on Friday, Aug. 24 from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

"During Xtreme Reg, everything that new students need to enroll will be right there in front of them," said Dr. Dennis Gervin, the college's vice president for student learning. "All registration materials, orientation, assessment, advisement, financial aid – even textbook purchases will be available to them. It's a convenient 'one-stop' approach to enrolling at

Columbia College."

On Aug. 11 only, a special orientation for parents and partners of students will be conducted, as well as prize drawings for five \$100 book vouchers for purchases at the Manzanita Bookstore. While assessment testing will be held at both sessions, appointments are required for the Aug. 24 session by calling 588-5234.

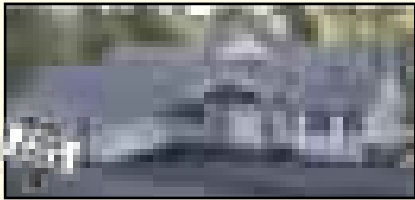
For more information on Xtreme Reg, go to the What's New column at www.gocolumbia.edu or call 588-5234. Columbia College's fall semester starts on Aug. 27 and runs through Dec. 16. The campus is located at 11600 Columbia College Drive in Sonora, just off Sawmill Flat Road.

Open registration begins on Aug. 15 and registration appointments are not required during this period. Students can register online at www.gocolumbia.edu, or by touch-tone phone at 536-5400. In person registrations will be accepted at the admissions and records offices at the Sonora campus, 588-5231 or the Calaveras Center in Angels Camp, 736-5940.

Registration for Columbia College classes will also be held in the staff lounge at Oakdale High School from 4 to 6 p.m. on Aug. 20 to 23 and 27 to 30. Oakdale area residents can reach Columbia College departments directly by using the Oakdale phone line at 588-5080.

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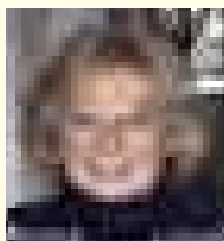
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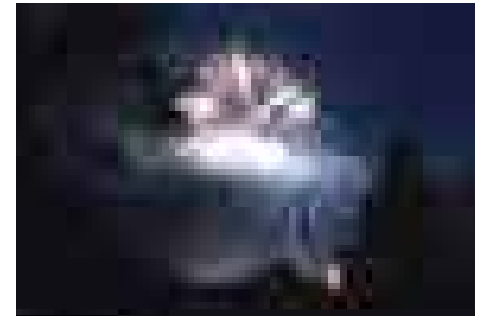
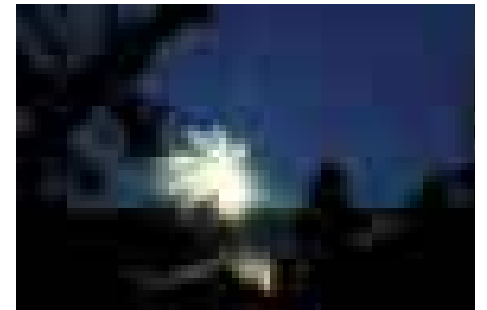
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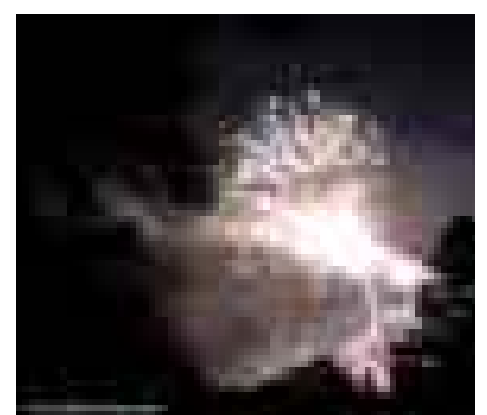


22987 Ferretti Road
 7.20 Acres, Hard to find all LEVEL usable acreage. Beautiful 1560 sq. ft. remodeled like-new home. 3B/2B, Living Room, Dining Room, Bonus Room, on a level meadow with old restored barn. \$485,000

Fireworks!



Fireworks above Pine Mountain Lake on June 30th. This great view is just above Ferretti Road, looking over the dam towards Dunn Court Beach. You can see the Marina lights just beyond that. For more great fireworks photos by David Wilkinson, visit PineMountainLake.com and go to 'Photo Gallery.'



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Art Appreciation

By Cora Bieler

John Singer Sargent (1856 to 1925)

A Narration and slide show of this American Watercolor artist will be presented by Jim Salchak. Jim is a past president of Watercolor West and the National Watercolor Society. All are invited to this free event.

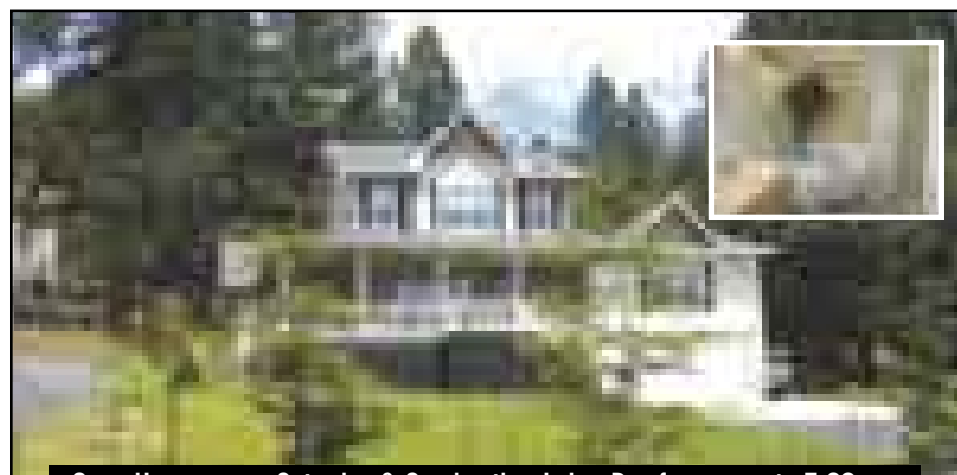
Jim Salchak is a noted artist in his own right. He has been featured in major national art publications and will be the art instructor in Cora Bieler's Yosemite Art Tours event running August 5th through the 10th.

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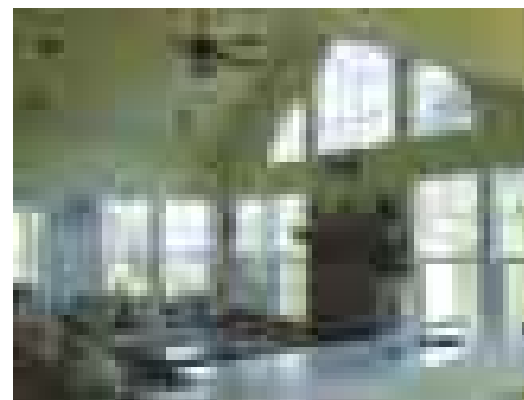
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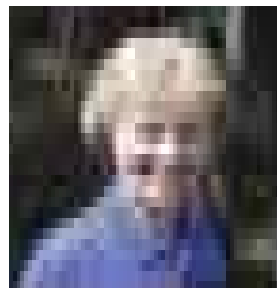


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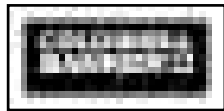
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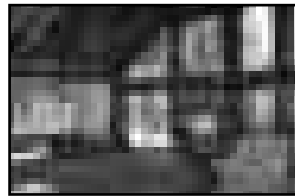
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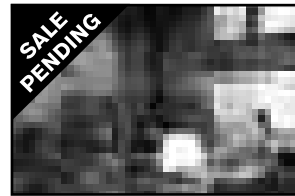
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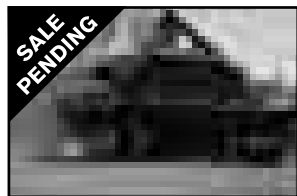


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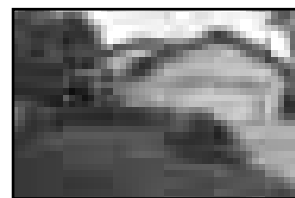
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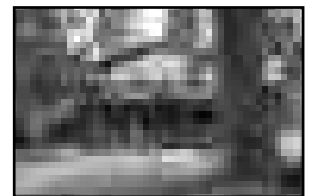
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Number of water skiers per boat: 2 maximum at a time. When one skier drops, the second skier must drop immediately.

Use of discs, inner tubes, surfboards,

water toys and non-approved devices are prohibited. Water skis, kneeboards and wakeboards are the only devices permitted to be used in the high-speed boating lane.

An area for beginning water ski instruction is available. Contact the Boat Patrol Officer or Marina Manager for details.

Water skiing may be limited on certain days such as, but not limited to holidays, fishing derbies and sailing regatta days.

KNOW OUR RULES AND ABIDE BY THEM FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT AND SAFETY.

FISHING RULES

A California State Fishing License is required and is to be displayed at all times while fishing. Fish limits are governed by California Fish & Game laws. **NO LIVE BAIT** is permitted other than worms.

Fishing off water taxi docks during water taxi operating hours is prohibited. Trespassing on private property is not allowed.

No fishing within 25 feet of designated swim areas.

SAILING RULES

Sailing Hours: Anytime

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Sailboats and all others must stay out of the skiing area during skiing hours.

The high-speed boating lane is out-

lined with red buoys. Stay out of this area while high-speed boating is in progress. Be aware of high-speed boating hours for your own protection. Avoid the east end of the lake (Lake Lodge and Big Creek entrance) during high-speed boating hours.

Sailing of rental boats in Big Creek is not allowed.

No windsurf boards without a sail are allowed on the lake.

PARKING, BEACH & SWIMMING RULES

SWIM AT YOUR OWN RISK. NO LIFEGUARDS ARE ON DUTY.

Follow all posted beach and marina rules and regulations. Note: The beaches and lawns are designated non-smoking areas.

Swimming is only allowed within the designated swim areas.

No float tubes, surfboards, "noodles," lounge rafts, etc., are allowed on the lake other than within 30 feet from your own private dock. (Tubes, noodles and "soft" float toys are allowed in the swim areas).

Inflatable boats, canoes and kayaks that are used on Pine Mountain Lake must be registered in the same manner as hard-bottom boats.

Do not venture more than 30 feet from your own private dock. **DO NOT** swim across or in the open lake area.

No glass containers, loud music, hard-balls, profane language or drinking of alcoholic beverages by anyone under the age of 21 are allowed on any Pine Mountain Lake beach area.

Bicycles and skateboards must be walked through all amenity-parking areas. No riding is permitted.

Dogs are prohibited from the entire PML Marina, Dunn Court, and Lake Lodge amenities except authorized PML utility dogs in the performance of their duties or service animals assisting the blind or deaf.

If the marina parking lot is full, please park at Dunn Court, the Lake Lodge, or Fisherman's Cove and ride the water taxi to the Marina. Water taxi operating schedule is available upon request.

FAILURE TO COMPLY MAY RESULT IN FINES OR LOSS OF LAKE PRIVILEGES.

Additional rules and regulations may apply. Rules are subject to change without notice.

ONLY property owners and PMLA employees on duty will be allowed to park at the Marina parking area on weekends and holidays from Memorial Day Weekend through Labor Day Weekend. Property owners will be required to provide a valid parking sticker or hanging tag.

*Respectfully submitted,
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You're faced with a tough challenge: To inform your readers about how the national rise in sub prime loan defaults is going to affect them locally. I'm here to help.

I've worked in the mortgage industry for 25 years, and I've funded over 3.1 Billion Dollars in loans in my career—and I've seen this market hit many highs and survive some tough lows. Let me be your resource as you cover this rapidly changing market.

While the national media outlets are reporting the facts, they often miss the underlying story. I want to help you share some of the nuances of the story with your readers. Here are some of the questions I know readers are considering, and I would be happy to lend my experience and expertise to help answer them:

- * What's really happening with major lenders—have we seen the last of the 100% financing options?
- * What is considered a risky loan by today's lending standards?
- * Are home values going to be affected by rising defaults?

I look forward to hearing from you. My contact information is listed below.

Kindest regards,
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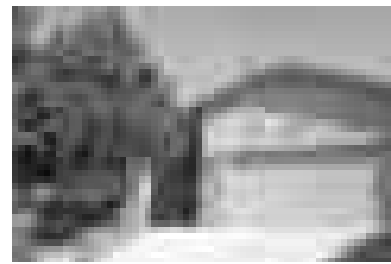
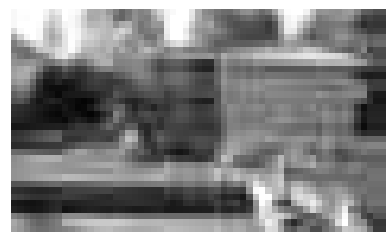
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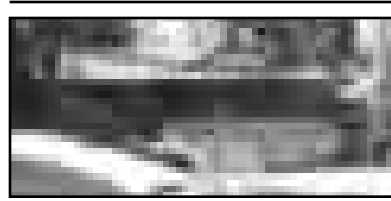
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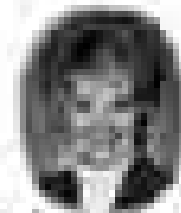
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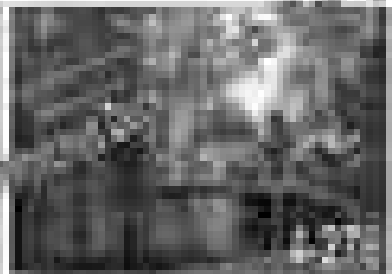
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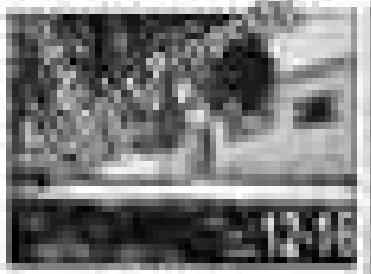
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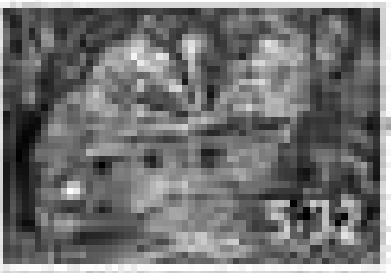


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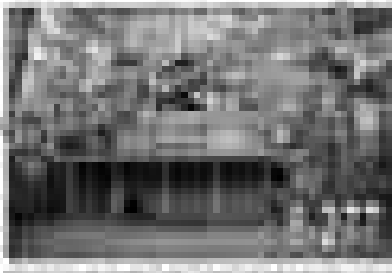


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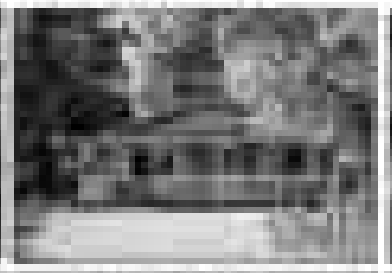
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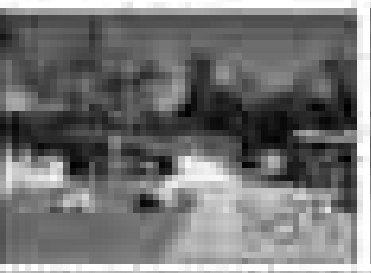
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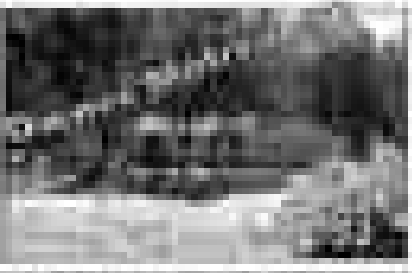
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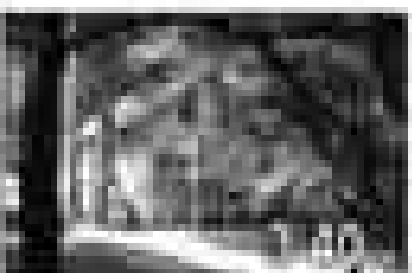
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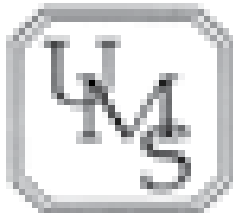
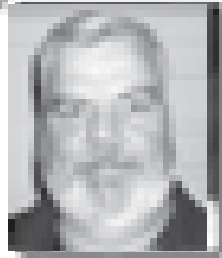
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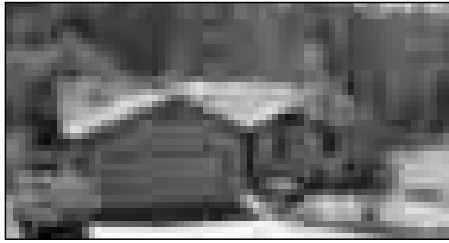


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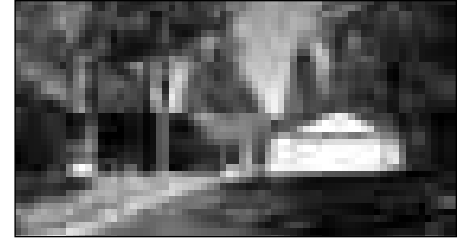
NEW LISTING

HISTORIC....One of kind combo antique store and B&B. Separate living quarters on site. Huge garage and attic for extra storage. Inventory list included in sale. This is one of CA. most unique Gold Rush mining towns. Call Zane McDow, \$565,000 5004 Main St. Coulterville. MLS#65807

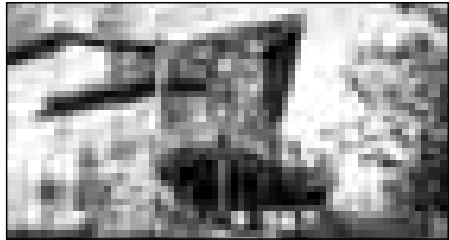


NEW LISTING

PRIVACY PLUS....merged lots on both sides of this 3bd/3ba, 2232 sq. ft. home. Home designed for easy access to front door (no steps), bonus room and office/den on lower level. Large master bedroom w/jetted tub. Room for RV to park. Call David Lint, \$444,800 8/273 MLS#65819



STYLE, QUALITY, VALUE!....Living room with free standing stove opens onto a deck with great views to expand leisure activities to the out-of-doors. Storage/workshop under the house. Wonderful floor plan with 3bd/2b all on one level. .50 acres. Call Linda Willhite, \$419,000 13/125 MLS#65646

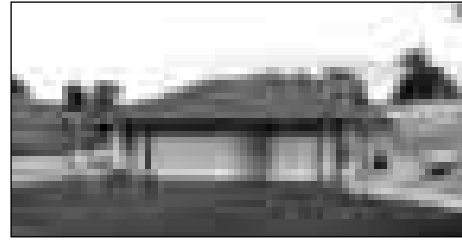


SURRENDER TO COMFORT....You'll experience warmth & tranquility this cedar A frame. Approx 2490 sf w/views of the green belt & seasonal creek. Lg master loft mixed w/private office & adjoining bath. Warm & comfortable guest quarters with beautiful propane fireplace. Lg decks & hot tub to enjoy outdoor living. Call Linda Willhite, \$585,000 10/29 MLS#65531

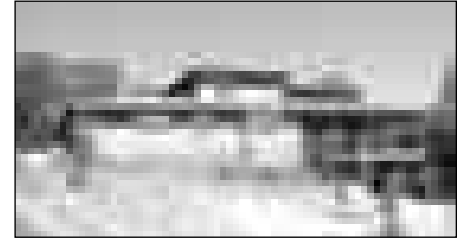


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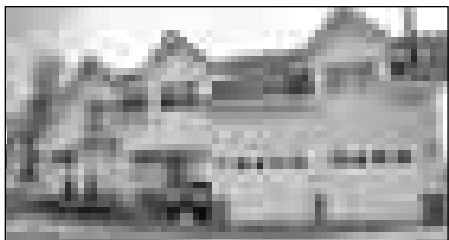
RELAX IN THE SHADED PARK LIKE SETTING....Overlooking the 4th fairway. This home is one level, perfect for a retirement or vacation home. Features include 3bd/2b. Aprx 1860 sq ft. Open floor plan with wet bar and oversized garage. Call Ron Connick, \$444,900 5/245 MLS#65838



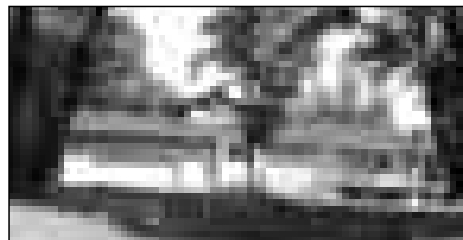
BEAUTIFUL SINGLE LEVEL HOME....with quality appointments throughout. Open floor plan with great room effect with propane fireplace, kitchen with granite counters, great for entertaining. 3 spacious acres with room for additional shop if needed. Call Bob Lawson, \$469,900 10136 Jardincito Court. MLS#65730



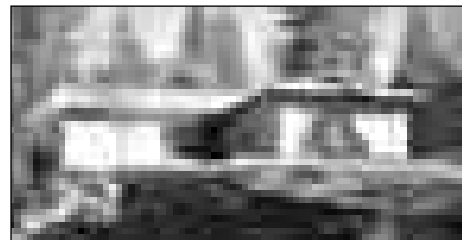
BEAUTIFUL 2 YEAR OLD HOME....with quality appointments throughout. Very open floor plan, great for entertaining, great views from nearly 1 ac. Oversized garage can convert to more living space easily. Must see to appreciate value in this lovely home. Call Bob Lawson, \$565,000 3/290 MLS#65374



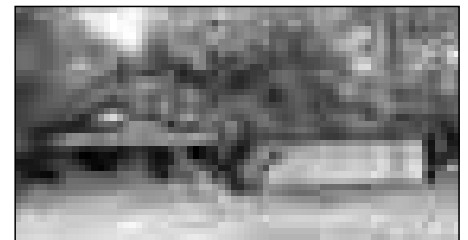
RARE FIND W/SEPARATE GUEST QUARTERS. 4 bd, 3 ba 2600 sq. ft. newly refurbished. New vinyl windows & French doors, new roof & gutters, new garage doors, new carpet & flooring throughout, (2) new propane fireplaces, new interior & exterior rock work & tile, new exterior lighting and other upgrades! All on large level lot w/ample parking. Take a look...priced to sell at \$475,000! Call Bob Lawson. 3/253 MLS #65067



HARD TO RESIST....Beautiful 3b/2ba approx. 2066 sq. ft. new home completed in 2006 on 1.7 ac. Finished 2 car garage & RV parking for your convenience. Hardwood floors, cherry cabinets, central vac & nice views add to enjoyment. Call Linda Willhite, \$572,000 11/53 MLS#65708



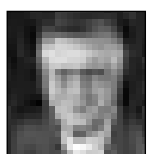
ALL ONE LEVEL WITH VIEW....600+ sq. ft. screened-in porch. Deep lot with tall trees. Circulating hot water to kitchen and baths. Upgraded carpet 1 year old. Covered entry. Call Barbara Goethe, \$399,900 13/124 MLS#65576



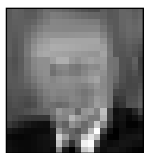
SINGLE LEVEL HOME....Clean 3bd/2ba, large 2 car garage. Easy access with level 2 large lots merged. New water heater strapped. New blower in central heater. Home backs up to private ranch. Plenty of room for RV w/plug connection on outside of home. No stairs to contend with. Excellent condition. Call David Lint, \$369,500 7/4 MLS#65693



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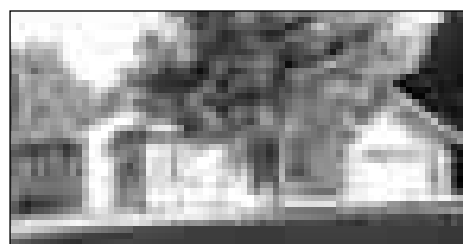
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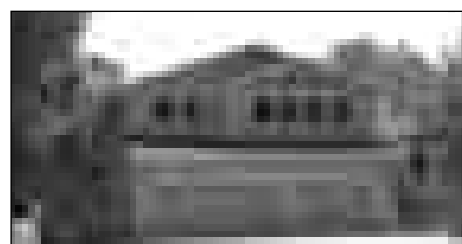
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SOLID COMFORT....This 3bd/2ba approx 2104 sq ft single level home with hot tub and loads of RV parking, is perfect for the comfort you've earned. Living room with fireplace and formal dining area opens onto a spacious deck to expand leisure activities to the out of doors. Call Linda Willhite, \$399,500 4/512 MLS#65113



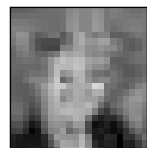
SPACIOUS....spend life's best moments on this large 3bd/3+ba, 3400+ sq. ft. home with a deep 3 car garage and great views of the mountains. Bonus room and 1/2 bath are located in the lower level, + unfinished storage and workshop. Relax in the spa in your own private exercise room off of the family room. Close to stables and airport. Call Linda Willhite, \$555,000 12/254 MLS#65432



PREMIER SETTING....sensational 4bd/3.5ba, 4,382 sq. ft. home with a 2400 sq. ft. partially finished basement and a 600 sq. ft. storage area. 4car-2 story garages with panoramic views of the mountains and lake. Loads of amenities. Call Linda Willhite, \$1,320,000 9/5 MLS#65260



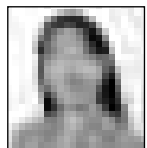
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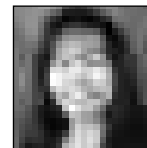
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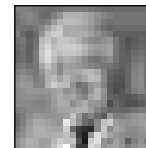
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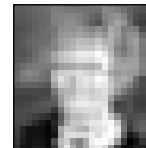
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5 th Annual Sultry Summer Shindig to Feature All Local Area Bands

By Cherylann Schimmelfennig

On August the fourth, if you stop by the Coulterville Community Park at the corner of hwy 49 & hwy 132 you will be in for quite a treat in entertainment! This year, the Sultry Summer Shindig event will again include several live bands, a ride in motor cycle show, craft, food & drink booths, raffles and a variety fun prizes. There will even be a play safely "KID ZONE" for the youngsters to have all kinds of fun sliding down & jumping on! This event promises to once again provide a full day of family fun. This year's event will feature an all local area entertainment venue, drawing musicians from the central valley to the foothill's beginning with a Celtic grass roots group from Greeley Hill, at 9:00am, Lynn

Ferry and friends will warm up this local and comfortable park setting with the old Irish & Scottish ditty's so common in this Coulterville mining town during the 1850's.

At 10:00am, get ready for the Rockin' Blues of Snake Oil, playing everything from Traditional Classic Blues to a Texas style Blues and featuring our own local vocalist/guitarist Mark Nordeen. No out door music show would be complete without some hard hitting rock and roll, so get out on the green and let your feet fly to the Power Rocking tunes of Y-NOT, featuring local vocalist/guitarist Clint Milani. This band starts around noon and is sure to rock your socks off. .

Next up is the band Big Nation from Merced, American Blues is their strength and they come to defend it. This three man band shreds stages with both the softer jazz versions of classics as well as the harder sounds of West Texas style Blues & Rock.

Then get ready at 5:15 for the No Borders Blues Band from the Modesto/Stockton area, with vocalist/guitarist Steve Sanders who lends his quick pick'n style to blend with some fast & furious harmonica work that is truly their signature style. This band serves up a classic Texas & Chicago style Blues featuring guitarist David Brown who grew up with and played alongside of Stevie Ray Vaughn. The Headliner of the event will be the Classic Rock'n Soul Lov'n Blues of The Hills Brothers Band, taking the stage at 7:45. These guys take the saxophone blues to a whole new level. Featuring John Sepulveda on key boards and vocals, Doug Casner on guitar and vocals, guitarist Neil Fromm, percussionist Mike Rodriguez, and Steve Foiada on Sax. These guy's have many year's of experience under their belts and will display their life's work in a series of personally created renditions of some of our favorite musicians including Bob Seger, The Rolling Stones & Tom Petty, to name a few.

This nonprofit fund raiser supports the local efforts to build a performing stage in this park. This event also features the 3rd Annual "Show Your Chrome Ride in Motor Cycle Show" complete with cash and trophy prizes. Please show your support by stopping by to place your votes

in each of the categories. And...let's not forget the "Poker Walk" around town, visit some of the many local shops in town, and try your luck at collecting the best poker hand and turn it in for a chance to win the pot? There will be a couple of new additions to the event this year...the "Show Your Chrome Dome" contest which kicks off our quest to find the finest, crowd pleasing bald head! That's right folks! This may be a first! If you are the one, let's prove it! Come on out and enter the contest! This year we are also including "The Dunk Tank", how about dunking one our local celebrities in the dunk tank or maybe you'd like to enter the "Pie Eating Contest"? This all sounds like too much fun to miss out on, so break out your lawn

chairs, get out the sun block and come to Historic Coulterville for the day. A five dollar donation is requested at entry, we greatly appreciate your support. We look forward to providing a venue that allows all of our participants to have a good time, while helping to raise the much needed funds for the community stage.

If you would like to contribute in any way, whether it be money donations, prizes or the highly valued gift of time, please don't hesitate to call. How about you high school students, do you need community hours? Here's a perfect opportunity to give to your community! For questions call committee members Peter or Cherylann at 878-3471; Pat or Vicky at 878-0117; or Steve or Maryann at 878-0111.

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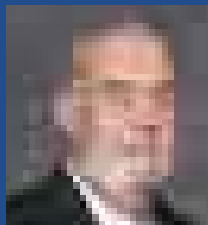
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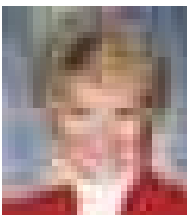


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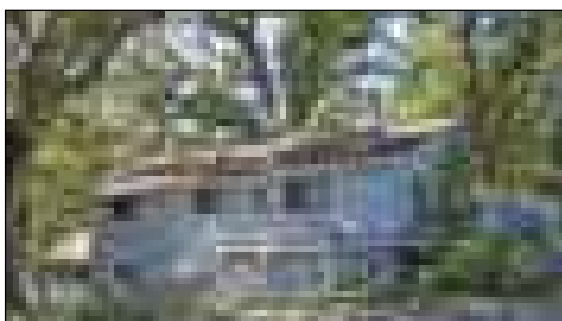
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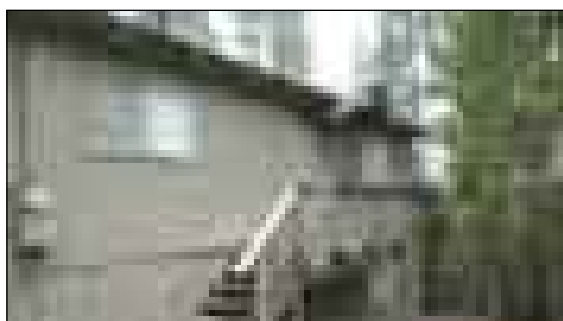
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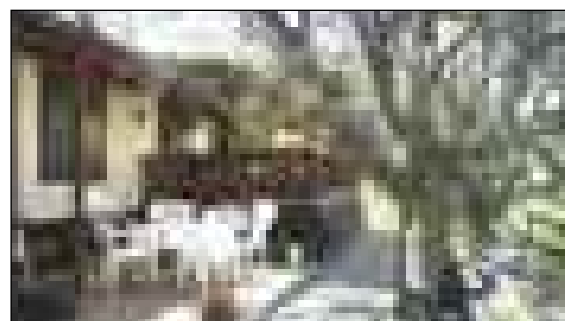
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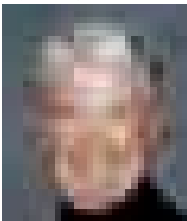
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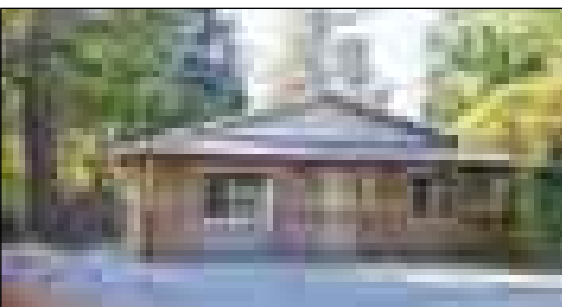
COMFY COZY HIDE-A-WAY...NOT FAR FROM THE MAIN MARINA...3 Bdr. - 2 Ba...Large deck looks out amongst the pines...All 3 years new: high quality roof, central heat & air, refrigerator, range/oven & counter tops... Downstairs bedroom completely redone (as music studio)...High quality double pane windows... Fresh paint on front porch and deck... Great vacation rental...A MUST SEE!!! 8/18 \$289,900



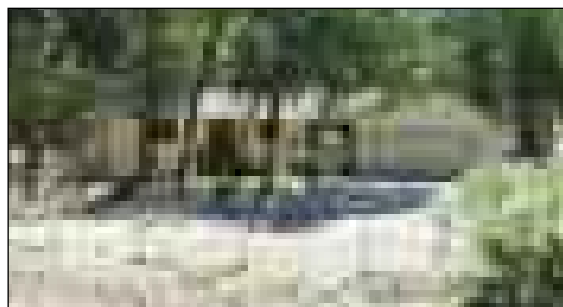
MANUFACTURED HOME IN A SENIOR DEVELOPMENT. It is within a few steps from the community area and pool. 2 Bdr. 2 Bath - Approx. 1249 sq. ft. The exterior and landscaping are superbly maintained - fruit trees and well manicured yard - punctuate a great floor plan. A little upgrading awaits a discerning buyer. 2 Car garage . YVE - 22595 Prospect Heights \$199,000



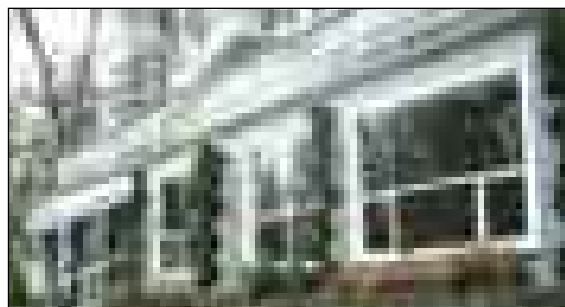
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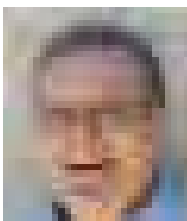
IT'S A CUTIE, COMPLETELY REMODELED ON A BEAUTIFUL, ALMOST HALF ACRE LOT. 2 Bdrms. - 2 MBA. New built-in propane fireplace, new roof, new decks...granite counter, all new appliances, fixtures, jams, etc. plus a 10 x 12 workshop. Energy Efficient. Nice trees to give shade and that country feeling. 13/98 \$310,000



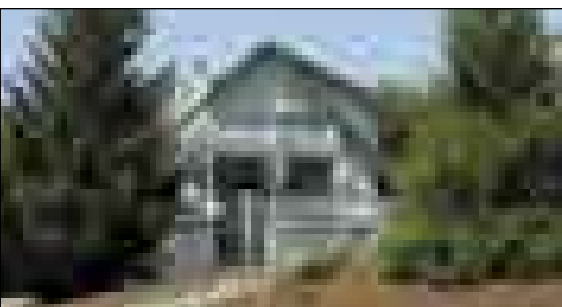
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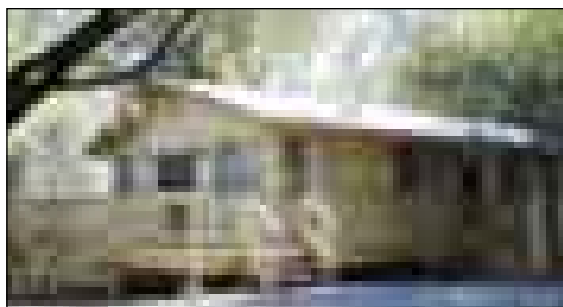
LUXURY HOME WITH FILTERED VIEW OF LAKE & MOUNTAIN. 2 Master bed rooms - 3 Bath - approx. 3600 sq.ft Lots of extras, downstairs added on recently w/ upgraded amenities! Split heating & air system, cozy family rm. w/propane fireplace. Landscaping on timers, short walk to marina. Too much to list, call to tour today! \$599,900 1/470



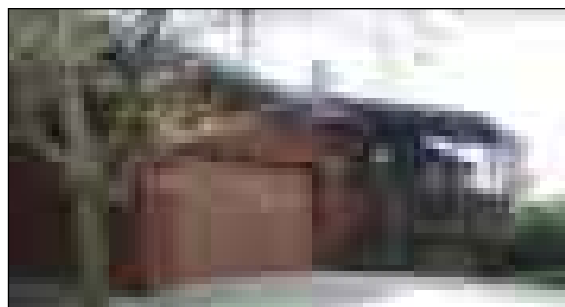
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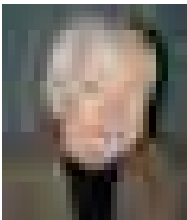
THIS VERY WELL MAINTAINED HOME BOASTS ~ 3 bedroom - 2 bath...2865 sf.ft....nice bonus room... a very large master bedroom suite with cathedral ceiling, wood highlights, fireplace & lake view...nearly new vinyl siding provides a maintenance free exterior & tile roof...a very short walk to Dunn Ct. Beach accents the desirability of this home. 1/245 \$545,000



FRESHLY PAINTED AND CARPETED 3 Bdr. - 2 Bath - Nearly new kitchen appliances including the refrigerator. Open floor plan plus bonus room. If buyer's desire a sailboat and trailer - will be included in the sale. No garage, but plenty of room to build one and room to park 6 cars in the black top driveway. Pest Insp. is done. 7/137 \$280,000



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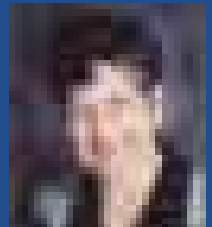
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3/147 - Lot 148 home has beautiful lake view \$94,000
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system - 35,000
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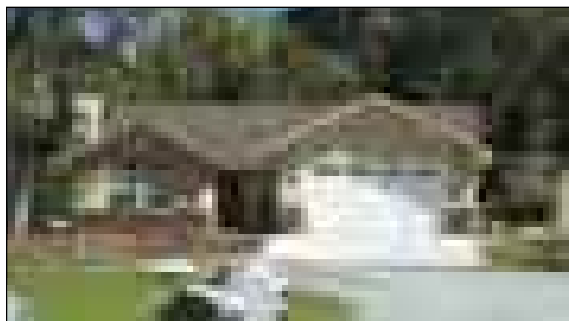


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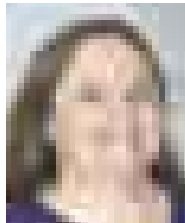
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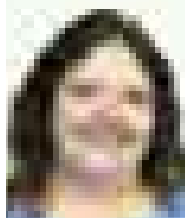


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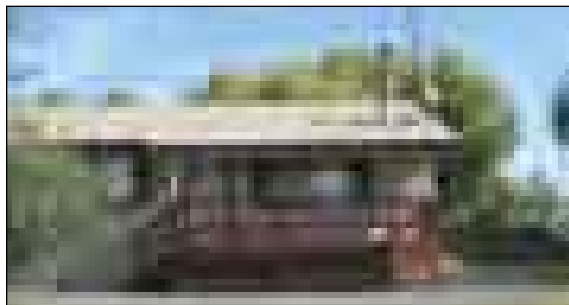
WELL MAINTAINED CUTE & COZY CABIN surrounded by pines & away from the street. 3 Bedrooms + loft and 2 Baths. Free-standing propane fireplace. Open floor plan - Nice paneling and open beam ceiling. Great vacation or starter home. 3/40 \$275,000



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COMFY & VERY COZY 3 BDR. - 2 BA HOME... Beautiful pine cathedral ceiling & wood finishes...Enjoy your summer BBQ on this extra large deck ~ trees for privacy screen... 2 car garage w/opener... Not far from lake & tennis courts. \$319,500 3/294

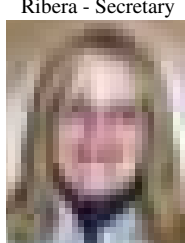


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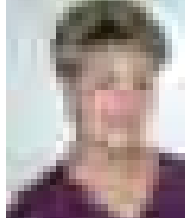
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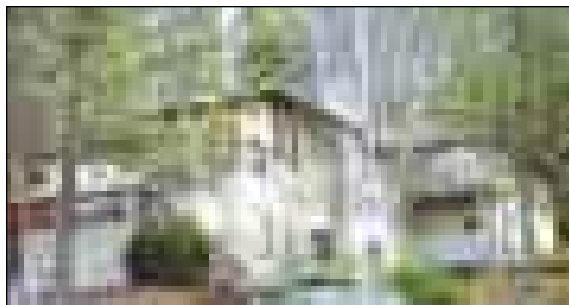
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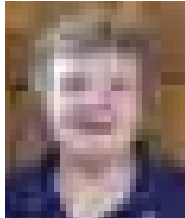


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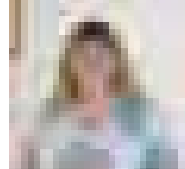
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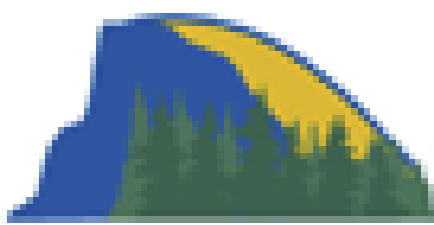
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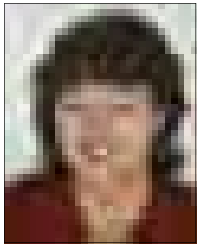
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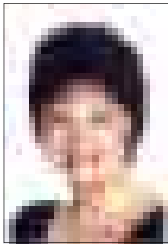
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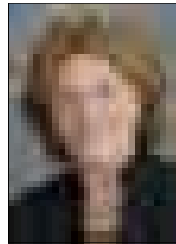
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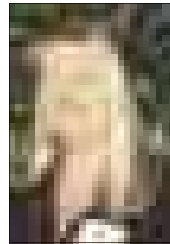
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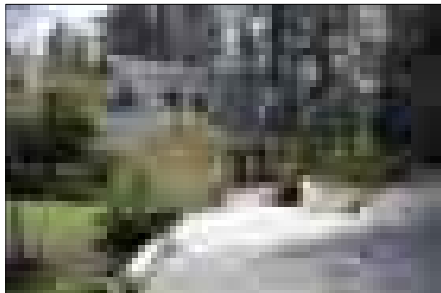


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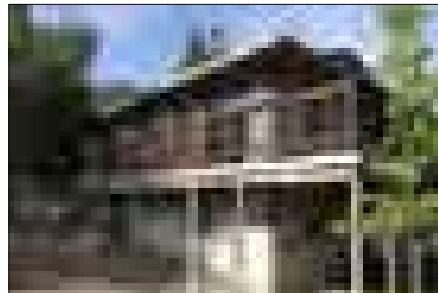


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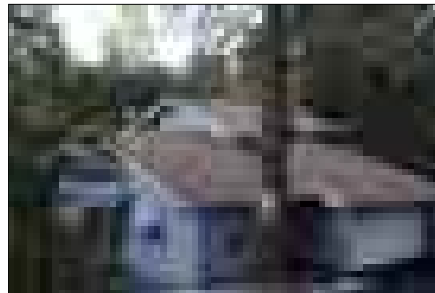
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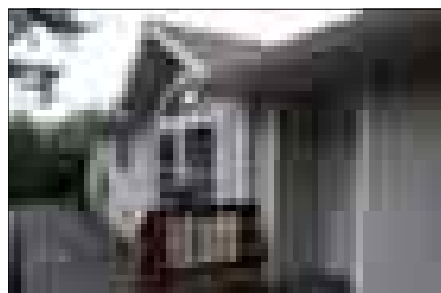
FIXER UPPER WITH LOCATION Bi-level cabin with fireplace on each level. Two bedrooms on main level and 2 bonus rooms with bath on lower level. Near golf & Dunn Ct beach. Adjacent lot also for sale. 1/240 \$270,000



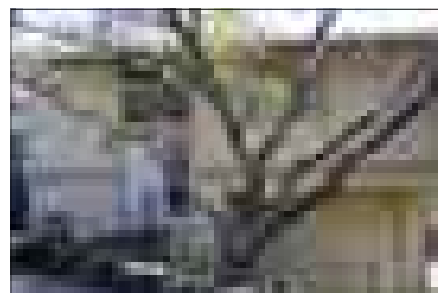
CABIN W/ CONTEMPORARY FLAIR Main lev liv rm, dining rm, kitch, & master ste. Upstairs are guest bdrs & ba. Doors from mstr & liv rm open to huge deck for outdoor entertaining. Nice grounds w/ light maint landscaping. Parking is great w/ a garage & RV parking . 13/213 \$349,950



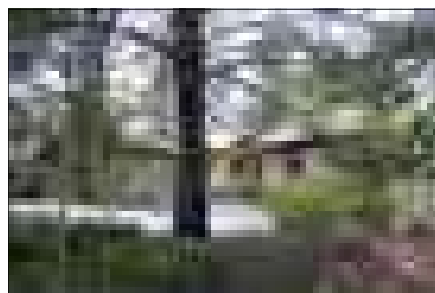
SPLIT LEVEL IN GARDEN SETTING Tired of great room floor plans? This home is more compartmentalized with both a living room and family room. The master suite is on the upper level and guest bdrms on the lower level. Off the family room is a nice garden porch. Extra parking to rear of lot. 3/380 \$354,900



FABULOUS MANUFACTURED Why buy a stick built home when you get so much more for the money? This home is full of custom type finishes, nooks and crannies. High techs note DSL ready! Enjoy outdoor living in the rear patio area. Lots of parking for cars, etc. 7/48 \$269,999



GREAT CABIN W/ A VIEW Very nice cabin with updated kitchen, wood & beam ceilings, a bedroom suite and decks on both levels (fireplace in lower level suite). Backs up to the rough of PML Golf Course and you'll enjoy beautiful treed mountain views from the rear deck. 7/37 \$299,500



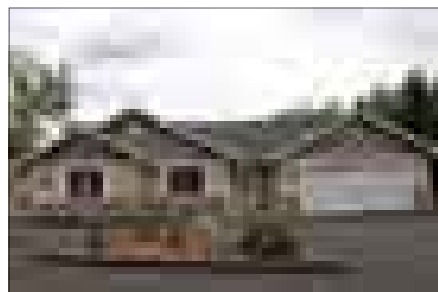
SINGLE LEVEL ON A QUIET STREET This home has been lovingly maintained with attractive natural landscaping, a new roof and new carpet. Vaulted ceilings and French doors to the rear deck give this home a bright and airy feel. The wood stove adds heat and ambiance. 3br/2ba/2-car garage and 1644 sq ft floor plan on a .26 acre lot. 7/81 \$359,000



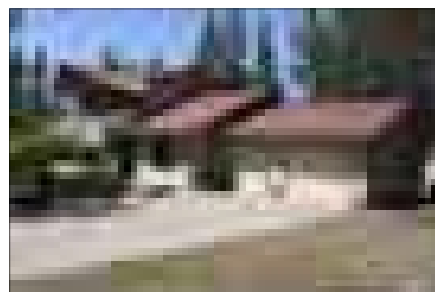
DREAM NO MORE This 2864 sq ft upscale custom home is more than meets the eye. You'll love the granite countertops, Brazilian cherry flooring and hickory cabinets, but what you can't see is the high grade of construction from the foundation to roof top. 3br/3ba/den/studio/oversized 2-car gar. 7/245 \$759,000



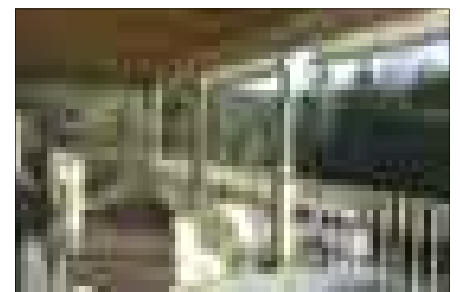
BI-LEVEL LIVING AT ITS BEST. This very well maintained home has the feel of a cabin Most living & sleeping areas are on the main lev, w/ a HUGE bonus rm (complete w/ wet bar & wood stove) & a full ba on the lower lev. Great parking & nice treed views from the deck. 8/213 \$449,000



ONE OF NOB HILL'S FINEST A stylish new home with granite counters, beautiful cabinetry, porcelain tile floors and attractive decorative finishes throughout. Good curb appeal with light landscaping. 3br/ 2ba/ 2 car garage, 1700 sf ft on .30 acre lot. **3-125 \$399,950**

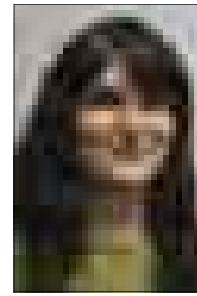


NEAR MARINA ON 2/3 ACRE with tall pines, charming landscaping, gazebo, tile roof, 24 x 24 garage, & huge flat concrete drive. 2080 sq ft with oak floors in kitchen/dining, fireplace, butlers pantry. Exquisitely private upstairs master suite with jetted tub, vaulted ceilings, sitting area & deck. 8/67 \$436,000.

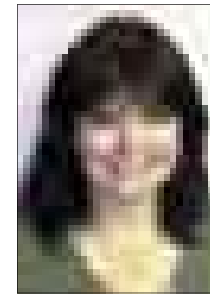


SUMMER SUNSETS FROM A COVERED AERIE Like an eagle in a pine top, enjoy the forest views on this deck right off the spacious great room. 1-level home with 24 ft deep garage. 1600 sq ft, 3 bdrm, 2 baths w/ skylights, woodstove + central ht/ac. On sewer, built 1991. Exceptional Value \$319,000. 4/261

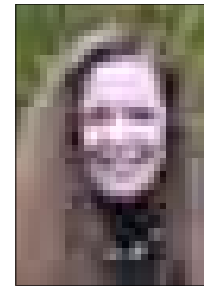
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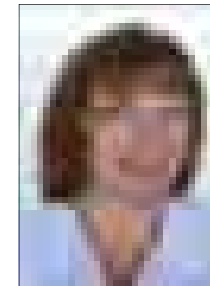
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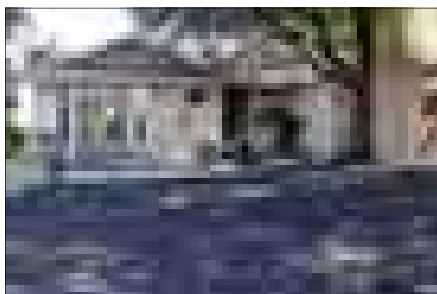
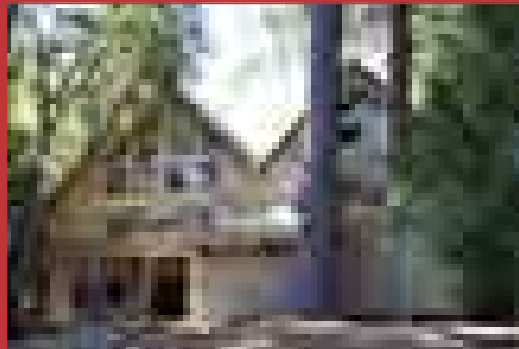
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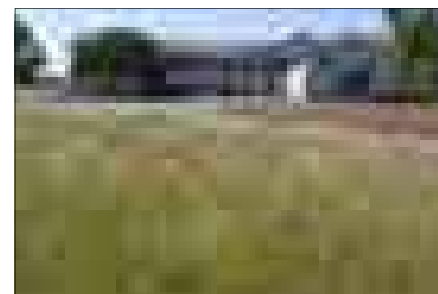
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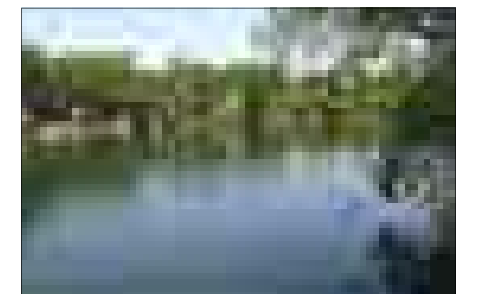
DISTANT VISTAS of thousands of pine trees & pleasant breezes from the covered 500 sf deck. Charming French doors open each bedroom to the outdoors. No Stairs! to front door or garage. Landscaped, immaculate, 3 skylights, large storage area under house. Must SEE 4/484 \$329,000



QUIET, SHADY & NO STAIRS and a price to relax you even further . No worries about the house payment-the price is only \$230,000 for a fully furnished 3 bdrm, 2 bath home built in 1993. Central heat, propane cookstove, decks front and back, one level. Septic clearance. 7/223 \$230,000



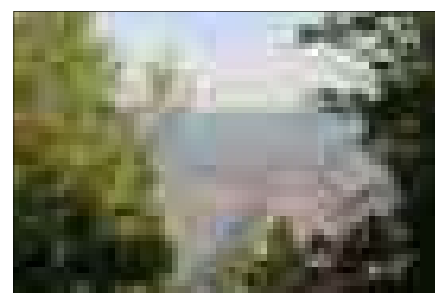
3000 SQ FT ON ONE LEVEL in the midst of an equine heaven of open grass. Versatile 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 car garage, solid quality Anderson windows, steel siding, solid wood interior doors, vaulted pine ceiling, sun room. Guest suite perfect for mom-in-law with sitting room, mini-kitchen, separate entrance. 1-level. 12/124 \$559,000.



89 FEET OF WATER FRONT One of the last and best lake lots! Gentle slope with easy driveway access, lovely pines & oaks, plus a deep blue view from .38 acre. Near the Marina beach, plenty of space for sizable dock. 1/435 \$599,000



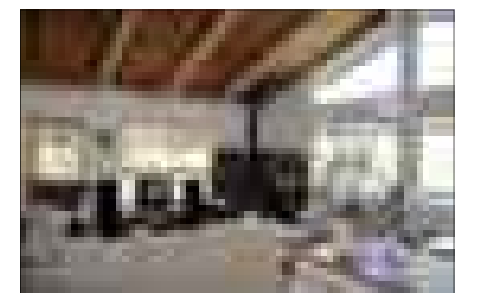
NEW, SPACIOUS, ENERGY EFFICIENT 1700 sq ft, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, central propane heat, central AC, 3 ceiling fans, dual pane windows, Hardi fiber cement siding. Bonus "retreat" room next to master suite opens onto covered Trex deck. Separate Trex deck off dining room. 2/173 \$269,000.



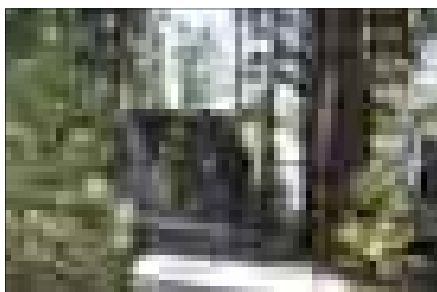
30 ACRES-BREATH-taking VIEWS of the Tuolumne River Canyon, US BLM land on 2 sides. Only a 5 minute drive to the PML airport! 17 gpm well drilled, paved & gravel access road in, level homesite, or build on the slope for better view. Boitano Rd North \$345,000



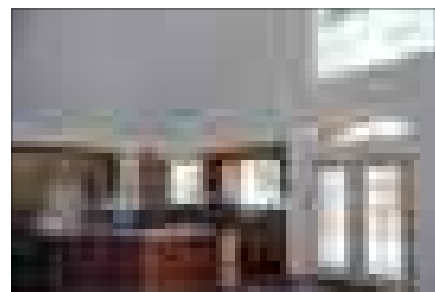
HONESTLY, LOCATION, LOCATION & SAUNA! Mountain cabin retains all its charm after being renovated with granite tiles and wood floors. Pine cathedral ceilings throughout. Stone hearth and woodburn stove in great room. Property is a storybook setting with bridge and tall trees. Separate sauna building and outdoor shower make this property unique. 1-237 \$329,000.



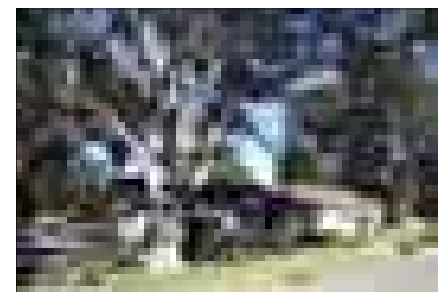
WALKING PROXIMITY TO MAIN MARINA. Wood cathedral ceilings and woodlam floors throughout this home. The greatroom has windows all sides and a woodstove on a stone hearth. This clean and welcoming home has 3 bedrooms and a garage with boat or RV parking. You will want it just the way it shows. 8/36 \$314,000



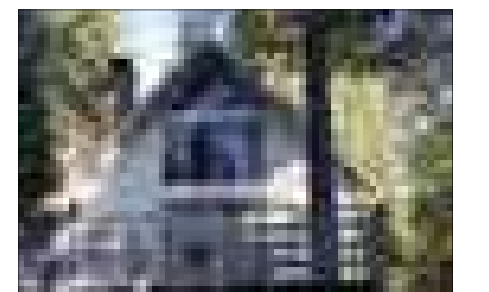
HARD TO FIND FULL VIEW OF LAKE. With all the charm of an original mountain cabin. A two story great room has wood cathedral ceilings and tremendous lake views. 4 bdr/2 bath Lower level game room could be owner's suite with water views. Dock included. 15/118 \$1,060,000



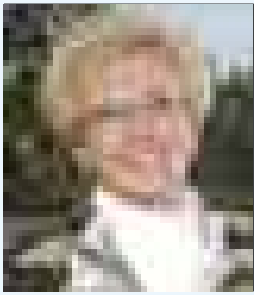
TUCKED INTO THE FOREST. Cross the Seasonal Creek on a substantial auto bridge built for only two homes. The spectacular newly built cabin is a mountain showplace with casual comfort. Built with steel I beams on nearly 3/4 acre, the home has 3 bdrms and 3 baths, and a two car garage. 13/351 \$679,000



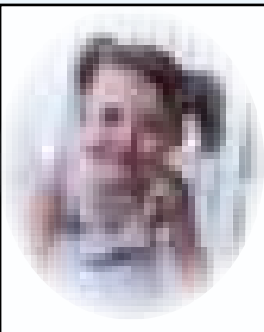
EQUESTRIAN MINI-RANCH. Covered rear deck surrounded by green lawns & magnificent trees creates a resort setting on this 1.5 acres in PML. 4 covered stalls individually watered, 2 storage barns, a tack room & corrals. 1-level 8-yr young w/ 4 bdr/2 ba, an eat-in kit. & separate dining room. Stylish wood kitchen cabinets & granite counters. 12/164 \$499,000



A COTTAGE CORNER FIREPLACE graces the great room of this 3 bedroom 2 bath cabin. A loft space provides reading area or nature watching. There is a two story living room and a breakfast bar open to the kitchen. The newer deck gives plenty of outdoor space. 8/65



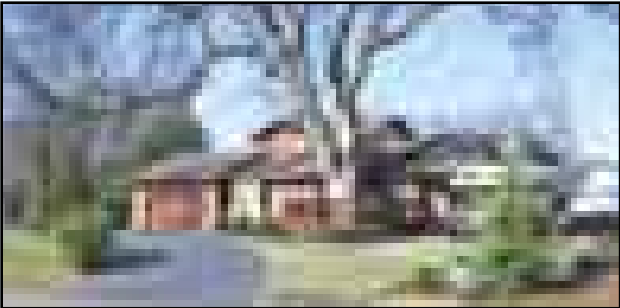
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C.A.R. Forecasts 14% Sales Decline, Modest Increase in Median Home Price for State

Midyear Housing Market Forecast presented at California REALTOR® Showcase in Sacramento

LOS ANGELES (June 7) – The CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® (C.A.R.) today projected a 14 percent decline in single-family home sales this year, and forecast a 1.8 percent increase in the median price of a home. C.A.R. Executive Vice President Joel Singer delivered the Association’s 2007 Midyear Housing Market Forecast as part of the California REALTOR® Showcase and C.A.R.’s Legislative Day activities this week in Sacramento.

The 2007 Midyear Housing Market Forecast PowerPoint presentation is available at <http://www.car.org/library/media/papers/pdf/2007%20Midyear%20Forecast.pdf>.

Sales are expected to fall to 410,500 units in 2007, a 14 percent decline from the 477,460 pace recorded in 2006, according to the forecast. The median price of a home will reach \$566,500 this year, a 1.8 percent increase from the \$556,640 median for 2006.

“Sales have declined in all areas of the state, but higher-end markets have experienced somewhat smaller declines,” said C.A.R. Vice President and Chief Economist Leslie Appleton-Young. “Sales

are weakest in areas that had a lot of new home building in recent years or those areas that had been popular for second home purchases.

“Prices tend to be softer in those areas as well,” she said. “This pattern is likely to continue throughout the rest of the year, particularly in areas that were popular among first-time home buyers, which experienced the greatest run-up in prices. Similarly, higher-end markets have seen greater price stability, with the median price of a home declining slightly, if at all. The sales mix, with slower sales in the entry and lower-end of the market and relatively stronger sales in the high end, has helped stabilize the median price.”

According to the C.A.R. forecast, the Central Valley region has experienced a greater decline in sales compared with the state as a whole, and a succession of year-to-year declines in the median price. This trend is likely to continue, due in part to excess inventory of new homes for sale.

The San Francisco Bay Area and moderately priced to higher-priced areas of Southern California have seen



I took this one morning in my back garden. It is just toooo cute! Photo by Carolyn Botell

a somewhat better sales picture, with small or nonexistent median price declines. These areas should continue to fare better than lower-priced inland markets in the San Bernardino and Riverside areas, according to Appleton-Young. Sales in those areas remain significantly below the record levels of the peak years, she said.

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Sabre Design Creates New Book & Launches Another Website

Local design firm, Sabre Design, was retained to do the design, layout & custom cartoons and illustrations for the just released book *The World's Greatest Email*. Author, Sue Shifrin-Cassidy, wife of former teen idol, David Cassidy, worked closely with Sabre Design for six weeks in getting the book to its publishing stages with AuthorHouse. The book is a whopping 248 pages and is packed with some very funny, well-known, and some not so well-known emails. Sue plans on publishing volume 2 in the near future.

Sabre Design also launched another website offering full back-end update capabilities. PokerCares.com, was unveiled at the World Series of Poker in Las Vegas on July 11th, 2007. Actor, Don Cheadle, was one of the first to view the website.

PokerCares is made up of poker play-

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BOWER CAVE / JORDAN OAK WALK

Saturday Aug. 25, 2007

9:00am – 11:30am

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MAKING TRACKS

Thursday Aug. 2 – Cherry Valley Campground

Thursday Aug. 9 – Dimond O Campground

10:00am – 11:30am

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Saturday Aug. 18

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Groveland Emergency Notification System

GCS D will be testing its Emergency Notification System during the week of August 13th. This system is designed to call you in the event of an emergency, such as wildfire evacuation or boil water notices. When your home is called, please stay on the line until the end of the message.

Our emergency phone number database is similar to that used by the 911 system. It contains all numbers with the 962 prefix, including dedicated fax and dialup

modem numbers. Though we have sorted these numbers into subareas within the District, we have no way of distinguishing between your voice and fax/modem numbers. If you have a dedicated fax or modem line into your home, please contact GCS D by email (info@gcsd.org) or by letter with these numbers so that we can remove them from the emergency notification system database. Thank you in advance for your cooperation with this important system test.

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Monday Night Football

The ROOFBB will again be hosting Monday Night Football at the Country Club. We will start on Sept 10th. Our guest chef that night will be Tom Connelly and he will be doing a pulled pork.

Groveland's '49r Parade Entries Deadline Nears

There's still time to rustle up your friends, horses, specialized autos and floats to enter into the 2007 '49r Festival and Chili Cook-Off Parade. This fun filled day will be held this year on Saturday, September 15th. The parade will be from 9 - 10 a.m. down Main Street.

The Grand Marshalls will be Jerry and Paula Baker, founders of Tuolumne Trails Kids Camp on Ferretti Road.

The parade gets longer and more creative each year, so be sure to plan your entry, fill out your entry form and submit it no later than September 1st. All the details are on the entry forms, which can be picked up at the Chamber office, located in the Remax build-

ing in Groveland, or the Groveland Yosemite Bank lobby. If you were in last year's parade, you were mailed an application.

If you aren't going to march in the parade, please be sure to come out and see your friends and neighbors' talents put to work. The streets are lined with watchers, young and old alike. This is a great Groveland tradition that has grown into the biggest event of the year. Even the tourists going through town heading east or west are impressed with our small town enthusiasm. Come join the fun.

Questions regarding the parade can be directed to Patti Beaulieu at 962-7402 or Ron Prieto at 962-5876.

Obituary

Suzanne Mattingly – 1951-2007

Suzanne Z. Mattingly, 56, a resident of Placitas, NM since 2004 (and a part-time resident of Pine Mountain Lake since 1992), died Monday, June 25, 2007. She is survived by her spouse, Jerome A. Mattingly of Placitas; step-children Monica Borrowman and husband Todd of Washington, IL and Brian Mattingly and wife Melanie of St. Paul, MN; five grandchildren; a brother Stan Snyder of Spring Grove, PA and a sister Sally Cain of Lebanon, PA; two nieces and a nephew. She was preceded in death by her father and mother, Charles and Eleanor Snyder of Thomasville, PA. Suzanne received her BS degree from Penn State and her PhD degree in Molecular Virology from the Medical College of Virginia. Suzanne was a respected marketing professional for several biotechnology companies in Maryland and California before moving to New Mexico to

work for Exagen Diagnostics in Albuquerque. She was a proficient instrument-rated aviator with over 2,000 hours of flight time and she was an accomplished artist with chalk, charcoal and pastels. She had several publications in professional journals and has written several articles and poems. Her energy and vitality, her love of life, family and friends, her passions for many various activities such as birding, camping, cooking, flying, gardening, pilates, poetry, reading, and traveling and her generous and kind nature will be warmly remembered. She was a long-time member of the PMLAA and several professional organizations. A loving wife, stepmother and grandmother, her ashes will be released over Pine Mountain Lake. A celebration of her life will be held; details are not yet known. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in her name may be made to AOPA Air Safety Foundation, 421 Aviation Way, Frederick, MD 21701.

FINAL MONTH OF 2007 "MOVIES IN THE PARK" SEASON

In August we're showing the final 3 movies of the 2007 season of the Groveland Rotary sponsored Movies in the Park. There's still time to come down and enjoy this fun, family event. Mary Laveroni Park in downtown Groveland is the coolest place to be on those hot August nights! The films selected are entertaining for adults and kids. Be sure to bring a blanket or chair to sit on along with your houseguests and grandkids, and join your neighbors and friends for a fun night out. Here are the movies remaining this summer.

Aug 4 - Spider Man 2 (PG-13)

Aug 11 - Karate Kid (PG)

Aug 18 - Over the Hedge (animated) (PG)

We have tons of candy, fresh all beef hot dogs, hot buttered popcorn, and many soft drink selections in our snack bar - all at prices so low we can't even mention them!!

To keep it a fun, safe event for all attendees, here are a few reminders:

- ◆ Under 5 – free; 6-12 - \$3; 13 and older- \$ 4
- ◆ Chairs only allowed in the back row please.
- ◆ No one under 13 is allowed in without an adult
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R.O.O.F.B.B

“CARING HEARTS ... HELPING OTHERS”

By Rae Ann Bozzo

Our past President, Jackie Baker, was nominated by Barbara Haiges to be Volunteer of the Week (week of May 30) and chosen by Country 93.5 KKBN.

It was early in the morning and the Baker's phone rang. John answered the phone and a man said he was from KKBN and wanted to speak to Jackie Baker. Jackie came to the phone and, barely awake, was told "Congratulations you have been chosen as the Volunteer of the Week." To most of us R.O.O.F.B.B.'S, this was not a surprise as Jackie is very deserving of this honor.

Jackie was President of the R.O.O.F.B.B.'s. for three and a half years. Most Presidents have stayed in office for one year ... maybe two, but NEVER three. The R.O.O.F.B.B.'s do wonderful things for the Groveland community; i.e., scholarships, remodeling of the community center's bathroom, Camp Tuolumne Trails donation, 49er Little League donation, Mt. Resource Center donation ... providing toiletry packages for the Mt. Resource Center and, many, many more ... too many to list. By collecting all the donated soaps, lotions, etc. (that we all get from hotels

when we travel) Jackie packaged all the gift bags and we then presented them to the Center. Jackie is an inspiration to all the R.O.O.F.B.B.'s in that she truly cares about the community and the people in it. If some one is having a rough time, she and her past board set out to help them financially and in any other way they could. The R.O.O.F.B.B.'s donated \$20,128.15 to the community in 2006.

Thanks to ALL the members and Jackie. Every Monday, during football season, R.O.O.F.B.B.'s sponsors Monday Night Football. Jackie can be found cooking, helping, getting things organized or whatever she can EVERY MONDAY.

For this honor, Jackie received the fol-

lowing gift items: Gift basket of fruit and muffins from Sonora Regional Hospital, Gift Card from Andy's True Value, lunch for two at the Camacho's Taqueria, dinner or lunch from the Backstreet Bar and Grill, and a keepsake pen and an engraved plaque from Ray's Trophies.

SAVE THE DATE: SEPTEMBER 29, "STEPPIN' UP & STEPPIN' OUT" for the R.O.O.F.B.B.'s charity golf tournament to be held at Pine Mt. Lake Golf Course, which helps and supports our community.

On behalf of the R.O.O.F.B.B.'s, we would like to extend our condolences to Barbara Haiges and her family on the recent passing of her father.

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Sierra Professional Artists—Artist of the Month

By Liz Reinhard

Christina Wilkinson was born in Socorro, New Mexico and raised in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico and moved to Groveland with her husband David and daughter Bethany in 2004.

Christina was born artistic and earned an award from Bank of America when she was a senior in High School. Upon graduation, she entered the Air Force for 10 years where she received awards for her graphic arts works including the Air Force Achievement Medal.

After leaving the military she became the Art Director for two major publishing companies spanning 9 years. During this time she received an international award for a logo she designed that was published in Graphic Design USA magazine 2000.

Christina & husband, David, are co owners of Sabre Design (graphic arts and publishing), the Whitewolf Art Gallery, editors for the Pine Mountain Lake newspaper and founders of the nonprofit Art Quotient magazine that publishes and exhibits children's art.

Her art includes watercolor, pen & ink, pencil, color pencil and digital mixed media. In her spare time she has volunteered for KidsCharities.org.

Our July meeting was held at our regular meeting place Yosemite Vista Estates Club House. There were 15 members in attendance with 1 guest. Plans were already in progress for our 15th annual Art, Wine and Music event for next year. We have been given the exciting opportunity to have a whole wall to display our art works at the Whitewolf Art Gallery on a permanent basis with an exhibiting artist in attendance one day a week. We are making plans to move forward. Our thank you's to the Wilkinsons.

Our meeting place is at the Yosemite Vista Estates Club House and meet at

10:00am till 1:00pm unless otherwise announced.

For membership information contact Donna DuFresne at 209-536-9509

Check out our website for the work of some of our artists at www.SierraProfessionalArtists.com

The Hotel Charlotte is hosting the exhibit of Liz Reinhard for the month of August.

The Whitewolf Art Gallery is showing the art of Kathy Tuchalski from July 23rd to August 11th and then the Sierra Professional Artists is having a group exhibit from August 13th to September 8th.



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Cinco de Mayo Live Auction Winners Celebrate at the Pool Party Extravaganza

By Sharon Hunt

A warm night, a homemade catered steak dinner, hors d'oeuvres and wine, a dip in the pool, and twelve good friends was the backdrop for Gathering Place's Cinco de Mayo live auction winner. The Board of Directors, dressed in black and white, prepared a fabulous dinner for Dick and Thelma Faux and friends at the Larry and Catherine Santa Maria's home on Sunday, July 15th. What a fun evening!

The Pool Party at Santa Maria's was one of the two major auction items at our Third Annual Cinco de Mayo fundraising event the last weekend of April. This signature event continues to be super popular. One hundred and eighty people attended this color event. Again,

the funds raised to build the future site for active adults in the greater Groveland area went over goal. The Charlotte Hotel catered a fabulous Mexican dinner. Catherine Santa Maria, our auctioneer par excellence, did a superb job with the live auction and over seventy-five guaranteed raffle prizes..."buy a paddle and win a raffle prize".

Mark your calendar for Sunday, May 4, 2008 because you won't want to miss all the fun, delicious food, outstanding raffle prizes, and incurable live auction items.

Most of all the Board thanks you for all your support for this dream of the Gathering Place.

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2007, deposits totaled \$384 million, a 6% increase during the last twelve months, while loans outstanding were \$309 million, a 17% improvement over June 30, 2006. Shareholders' equity at June 30, 2007 was in excess of \$59 million, reflecting a very strong capital ratio of over 13% of total assets.

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R.O.O.F.B.B. "CARING HEARTS...HELPING OTHERS"

By Rae Ann Bozzo

The R.O.O.F.B.B.'s annual spring luncheon was held on April 28 at the PMLCC honoring the past President, Jackie Baker, and her Board. The newly elected 2007-2008 officers were introduced. The 2006-2007 board presented Jackie with a necklace of hearts (for part of their slogan) "CARING HEARTS." There were three smaller hearts hanging from the large one indicating the three excellent years Jackie served as President. Jackie will continue serving on the Board as the Parliamentarian. The club was beautifully decorated with pink heart balloons and a great skit performance by Thelma Faux and Mary Brown. The luncheon was excellent. Orpheus, PMLCC Chef, and Tom Dorsey, PMLCC Manager, presented Jackie with a dozen red roses.

To date, R.O.O.F.B.B.'s have 90 members. The R.O.O.F.B.B.'s have contributed more than \$118 thousand dollars toward scholarships, charities, children's Christ-

mas shopping spree, and many other needs in our community. R.O.O.F.B.B.'s also sponsor dinners for the Monday night football games. They also sponsor an open golf tournament. Last year's "Rumble in the Jungle" was a great and successful fund raiser with fun and laughs by all who participated. This year's tournament and dinner will be held on SEPTEMBER 9 at the PMLCC. For more information, please call Corky Graham at 962-7816.

Congratulations to R.O.O.F.B.B.'s 2007-2008 incoming President, Nancy Whitefield, and her Board. They are Arlene Rueter, Vice President, Deanna Thomas, Secretary, Corky Graham, Treasurer, Rae Ann Bozzo, Historian, and Jackie Baker Parliamentarian.

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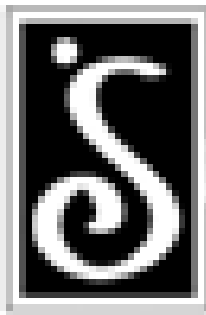
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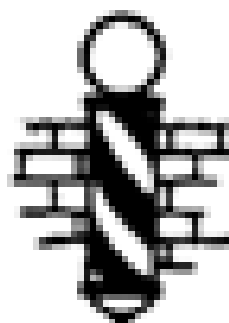
- 1 cup uncooked instant brown rice
- 1 teaspoon olive oil
- 4 oz. fresh button mushrooms, quartered
- 1 medium garlic clove, minced
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh basil leaves
- 1/4 cup sliced black olives
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper

1 teaspoon olive oil

Prepare the rice using the package directions, omitting the salt and margarine. Heat a nonstick skillet over medium-high heat. Add 1 teaspoon oil. Cook the mushrooms for 4 minutes, stirring frequently. Stir in garlic, cook 30 seconds, until mushrooms are soft and beginning to lightly brown. Remove from heat. Stir in the olives and basil.

Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Cover and let mushrooms absorb flavors for several minutes. Then stir in cooked rice and remaining teaspoon of oil.

Nutrients per serving: calories 122; total fat 4.0 g; saturated fat 0.5 g; polyunsaturated fat 0.5 g; monounsaturated fat 2.5 g; cholesterol 0 mg; sodium 225 mg; carbohydrates 19 g; total sugars 1 g; dietary fiber 2 g; protein 3 g.



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Our past efforts have drawn praise from visitors and locals alike.

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Ladies its great for the waist line, you bend, stretch and stoop, an excellent exercise. Get slim and trim while helping your community put on its Festival coat.

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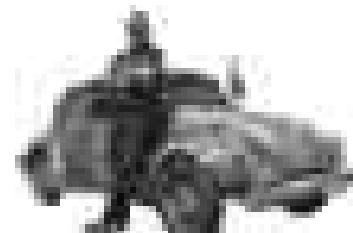
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GROVELAND SUMMER CRAFT FAIR

By Lion Kay Graves

The 2nd annual Garrotte Lions Summer Craft Fair will be held Saturday, August 11th, 10 am to 5 pm and Sunday, August 12th, 10 am to 4 pm at the Groveland Community Hall

Come see and buy from your local crafters and nonprofit organizers with home made items. *Admission is free.*

Garrotte Lions will have food and beverages for sale. All Lions proceeds will be directed toward local community projects.

For more information call Lion President Wanda Day at 962-6179 or Erma Millheim at 962-7631.

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Friends of the Groveland Library

Hail to the Cookie Queen

Once upon a time in a charming hamlet nestled among oaks and pines atop rolling hills, there lived a lovely, fair-haired, blue-eyed, regal lady who had boundless (yes, almost legendary) energy and zest. She used this magical gift in a myriad of activities, events and good works. But the most gleaming jewel in her royal crown symbolizes her greatest contribution of all—cookies. To this very day you can find her baking cookies, arranging cookies, delivering cookies, serving cookies, freezing cookies and organizing others to do cookies too. And she performs these deeds every week, endlessly, without fail—much to the joy and gratitude of her fellow Friends of the Groveland Library. Every Saturday book sale bears testimony to her continuous cookie commitment. And if you listen carefully enough you can hear those Friends chanting: “For all that you do, we thank you; we bear homage to you—QUEEN ROSEMARY ADAMS. Long live the Queen!”

her organization and supervision of this project—as well as to the Friends who assisted her.

- The County Friends organization will provide a library information booth at the Foothills Farmlands and Arts Festival on Sept. 8, 2007. Some of our members will represent us on that day.
- The County-wide Vision 2020 goals, objectives and action plans for the library system will be presented at the Supervisors meeting on August 28th. We are urging our members to attend to show our support.

DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR:

September 15: Book signing at the museum for the new book, MANZANITA, with local contributors Judy Hewett and Terri Metz ready with their pens.

September 25: FOGL volunteer appreciation luncheon get-together at Nadine Pedron’s home.

August 28: Next FOGL meeting at 2:00, downstairs at the library. We welcome visitors! Call Elsie Stock (962-4564) for membership information.

FOGL NEWS:

• Saturday Book Nook sales are booming. Thank you for your patronage!

Because of our successful fundraising we will again be donating \$5,000.00 to the County Library system for new books and \$5,000.00 to maintain our current library hours.

• The summer reading program was a huge success with higher enrollments than ever before. Big thanks to Donna West for



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A pink tutued gorilla needs proper shoes. Does anyone happen to have a pair of XL yellow floppy shoes with red shoe laces. (We do have a budget for red shoe laces if necessary.) Maybe you know someone who has these but might be too embarrassed to let it be known? Replies will be kept strictly confidential, contact Lynn at the Hotel Charlotte with any leads you might have 209-962-6455. Mumm-mms the word to Joel!



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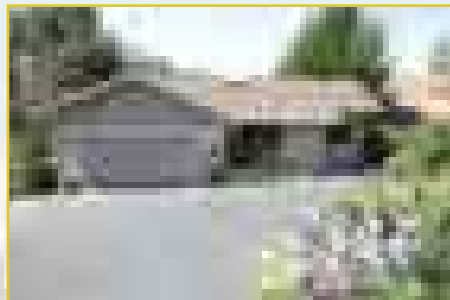
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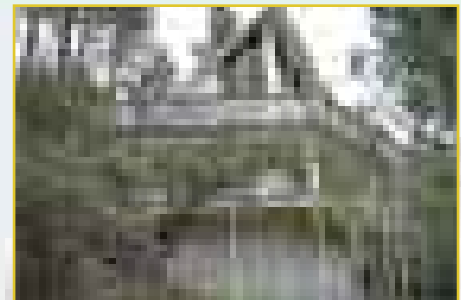
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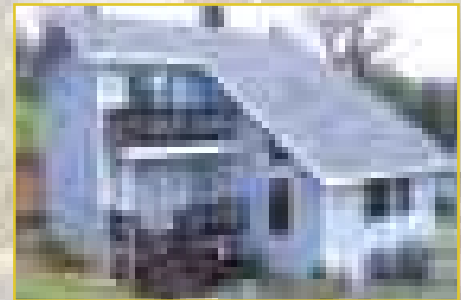
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THAI Royal Princess Visits Yosemite & Groveland

Her Royal Highness Maha Chakri Sirindhorn, Crown Princess of Thailand visited Yosemite National Park and Groveland, California on Sunday, June 10, 2007.

Yosemite National Park's Superintendent Tollefson and ranger staff were honored to provide a guided tour for Her Highness and entourage through the newly refurbished Yosemite Valley Visitor Center, Ahwahnee Indian Village/Museum and the Chiura Obata Exhibit, "The Art of a Peaceful Man." A walking tour to Yosemite Falls and Cook's Meadow followed via the Cook's Meadow board walk.

Lunch at the Ahwahnee Hotel included the Grand Buffet in the dining room,



where Her Highness was seated with her entourage of six in the Queen's Alcove. After lunch, the group visited Glacier Point, with stops at El Capitan, Bridal Veil Falls and Tunnel View.

Her Highness' entourage departed Yosemite for Groveland and dinner in the Groveland Hotel's Victorian Room Restaurant. Owners Peggy and Grover Mosley welcomed the Crown Princess to The Groveland Hotel and the historic town of Groveland. Peggy and Grover were delighted to present Her Highness with historic photos of Yosemite Valley, information on Groveland's history and the hotel's 1849 adobe structure.

Executive Chef Gregory Lutes prepared a special menu for the Crown Princess, which included a salad, his signature dish of Indiana Duck Breast, and at Her Highness request, vanilla ice cream with fresh strawberries.

HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn is third child of King Bhumibol and Queen Sirikit of Thailand and is third in line to the throne. Her Highness was invested with the title "Somdech Phra Debaratana Rajasuda Chao Fah Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Rathsamakunakornpiyajat Sayam Boroma Rajakumari" on December 5, 1977. The English form of this title is "princess maha chakri."

Her Highness is unofficially referred to as "crown princess" because her title in Thai is the female equivalent of the title held by her brother Crown Prince Vajiralongkorn. Because the king has only one son, the Thai constitution was altered in 1974 to allow for female succession.

Easily the most beloved member of the royal family, after the king and queen, she enjoys the widespread admiration of the Thai people and is considered her father's intellectual successor. She spends much of her time helping her father with his various projects and has never married. Thais commonly refer to her as Phra Thep, meaning "princess angel."

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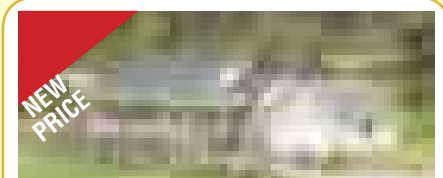
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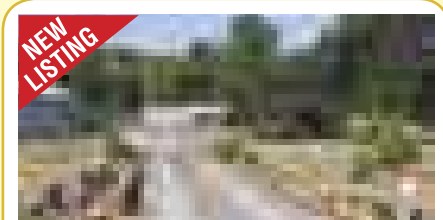
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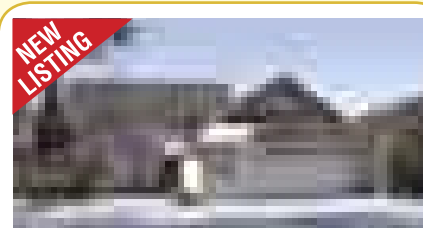
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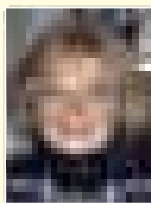


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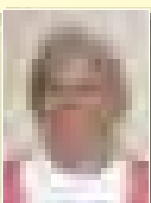
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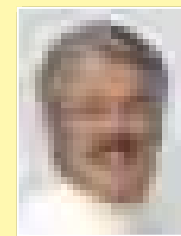
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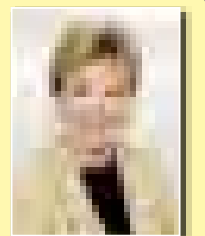
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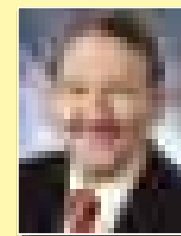
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The Milky Way—Home of Our Solar System

By Eddie Pavlu

This is a picture taken from my new property in Big Oak Flat. I'm sure you'll recognize it as a wide-field view of the Milky Way. It wasn't a very difficult image to capture. I just waited for the moon to set (at about 11:15PM) and the

Milky Way just "jumps out" at you. We have a great 360 degree view of the sky from the new property, which we call Longfellow because it's 11+ acres of the Old Longfellow Mine. The most difficult part was setting everything up (we don't have any utilities

there yet) and framing the image.

Here's some details about the image:

Date: July 17, 2007

Time: 11:45 PM

Location: Big Oak Flat, CA - Longfellow

Camera: Canon 300D

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Here's some info about our home galaxy:

The Milky Way is the galaxy which is the home of our Solar System together with at least 200 billion other stars (more recent

estimates have given numbers around 400 billion) and their planets, and thousands of clusters and nebulae. As a galaxy, the Milky Way is actually a giant, as its mass is probably between 750 billion and one trillion solar masses, and its diameter is about 100,000 light years. The Milky Way Galaxy belongs to the Local Group, a smaller group of 3 large and over 30 small galaxies, and is the second largest (after the Andromeda Galaxy M31). The spiral arms of our Milky Way contain interstellar matter, diffuse nebulae, and young stars and open star clusters emerging from this matter. Our solar system is thus situated within the outer regions of this galaxy, well within the disk and only about 20 light years "above" the equatorial symmetry plane (to the direction of the Galactic North Pole), but about 28,000 light years from the Galactic Center. Therefore, the Milky Way shows up as luminous band spanning all around the sky along this symmetry plane, which is also called the "Galactic Equator".



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Land Use Study Finds Possible Home for the Gathering Place & Dog Park

By Jim Goodrich, GCSO General Manager

GCSD owns about 200 acres of land that stretches from Highway 120 on the south (at Mary's Park and the Fire Station) to Leon Rose Ball Field on the north. About half of this land is currently developed with community assets such as the Fire Station, Mary's Park, our wastewater treatment plant, GCSO operations and administration buildings, two recycled water reservoirs, Leon Rose Ball Field and about fifteen acres of spray fields (used for disposing of recycled water). The remainder of the land is undeveloped.

To help the District determine possible community uses for the land and to mitigate any conflicts with land use, former Board Member Craig Maxwell urged the District to conduct a formal land use study. This study was started in 2006 and was presented to the Board on July 9th. This study was for the sole purpose of providing the District with guidance for future use of the property.

Many projects have been suggested by our community over the years that might enhance the quality of life in Groveland. These included a community pool, a dog park, a skate park, the County Youth Center, basketball court, trails, and certainly not least, the Gathering Place. Some of these projects have been completed or are nearing completion, including the skate park, the County Youth Center, and the basketball court (all in Mary's Park).

The location of other projects needed to be evaluated based on topography, access, and conflicts with existing District activities (such as the spray fields and sewage treatment plant). The land use study conducted these evaluations.

Based on these evaluations, the dog park, the Gathering Place, and municipal

pool were sited near Leon Rose Ball Field. The plan even stretched as far as suggesting an RV park on the western side of the property. I think it's safe to say that we are quite a ways from seeing RVs parked on District property...but who knows?

The dog park would go north of the ball field. The Gathering Place would go east of the ball field parking lot, with access from Flint Court. The municipal pool would go in the spray field south of the Evangelical Free Church. With the exception of the pool, none of these projects impact the District's existing spray fields.

Some of these projects might take very little investment by the District or the community, such as the dog park. Others, like the Gathering Place and pool would be expensive. Together, they may cost over \$10 million. Because of its limited revenue generation capabilities for parks and recreation, the District would be unable to fund much in the way of capital or long-term operational expenses for these major projects. To raise this amount of money would require the community's best efforts at fundraising and grant writing, like was done for the Museum/Library and skate park.

Even with funding issues addressed, the District must comply with environmental documentation laws, as well as develop construction designs and operational plans before it can move ahead with any of these projects. But this study should be good news for the Southside Senior Services, as they continue to plan for the Gathering Place, and for dog lovers for the dog park.

If you are interested in reviewing the Land Use Plan, you can find it on the www.gcsd.org web site, or you can review a copy here at the District.

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GROVELAND MUSEUM— A BEEHIVE OF ACTIVITY

By Rosemary Adams, Publicity

A new and most interesting program is being developed at our Groveland Yosemite Gateway Museum. Our Staff is putting together a STOP AND LISTEN system at each exhibit, which will enable the visitors to have an audio description of the details of the exhibit while enjoying the visual components. Our visitor can just press a button and the audio will engage. There will be a unit at each exhibit, so devised that the visitor can just place the unit to his/her ear and have a personal audio visit. Our Rich Hathaway is overseeing the installation. He is working with other members to have them do the audio and it will be just fine. It is great that our own members are providing the commentaries as they are very familiar with them. So far the device has been fitted to BOWER CAVE EXHIBIT and it is grand. The other exhibits will be fitted

shortly. Come by to enjoy them.

We wrote last month of the coming Book Signing Event to be held Saturday, August 18. This will feature our own Mary Kelly, author of "The Groveland Yosemite Gateway Museum." Please note that the time for the Event has been changed to 1:00 - 3:00 PM. This fits more closely with the open hours of our Library. We look forward to having you join us for this opportunity to laud our Mary. Don't forget - 1:00 - 3:00 PM.

Another important date on the horizon - September 29, 2007, is Smithsonian Museum Day; and various museums across the country are celebrating it. Our own Groveland Yosemite Gateway Museum is open from 10:00AM - 12:00PM in honor of this special day. This coincides with the STCHS Poison Oaker Picnic, so we'll have many busy times ahead. Come join us!!!

GOSPEL JAZZ CONCERT, AUGUST 18

By Bonnie Phillips

We are so fortunate to be able to listen, right here in Groveland, to amazing pianist, Jim Martinez, along with several of his musician friends on percussion, horn and string. They will be performing, live, on Saturday, August 18 at 7:00 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church at 19172 Ferretti Rd.

Martinez is a classically trained pianist who has become accomplished in nearly all styles of music including Gospel Jazz. He recently opened the All-Star Night Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival in Los Angeles. Jim has performed and recorded with notables such as Lionel Hampton, the Stan Kenton alumni, Russell Malone, Roy Hargrove, the Nelson Riddle Orchestra, the Sacramento Symphony and the U.S. Air Force Jazz Band.

Jim Martinez has ten CDs to his credit. "Music For Your Soul" is his most recent

of three Gospel Jazz CDs which include Lionel Hampton and many others as his musical guests. Over the years, he has won numerous awards that include the Camellia Symphony, the Chico Symphony Young Artist Concerto Competitions and the Music Teacher's Association Junior Bach Festival.

Mr. Martinez and friends will entertain and amaze you with their unique musical talent. The concert is FREE (a free will offering will be collected) and you truly don't want to miss this first class musical entertainment. If you can't attend on Saturday night, Jim will be playing some Gospel Jazz selections at the 9:30 a.m. service at the Evangelical Free Church on Sunday, August 19. Either way, take advantage of the opportunity to hear the talented Jim Martinez play piano. It is an awesome experience, not to be missed!

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49er Festival: What's new this year?

By Lynn Uthagrove

With regular festival participants clamoring for More! Better! New Neat Stuff! We are bringing back the Live Auction. Please don't just mark your calendars for Saturday, September 15th, but add a note to be at the Main Stage no later than 1:30 as we auction off some really cool and unique stuff!

If you have attended a Chamber mixer this last year, you will smile as you recall your favorite raffle tag team of Robin & Lynn turning a mondain ticket drawing into the ART of winning great stuff! Similar antics are guaranteed for the 49er Festival.

You might be asking yourself how you can benefit from the Live Auction. It's easy... just show up and bid on your favorite one-of-a-kind items. We have asked our members to donate something

cool that we can talk about with our quirky style of fast-talking, giggle-gaining, promotion-motions giving each auction prize it's due notice.

This year we are looking to auction off private parties, special dinners, travel items, cases of wine, tickets with rooms & food, original art, thing sthat take other's personal time, maybe even a class to teach you how to do something FUN! Stay tuned for the complete list of Live Auction items.

If you have something you want to promote, consider donating a Live Auction Prize. Please contact Lynn at 209-962-6455 with your fun, unique, cool, one-of-a-kind donations or even the mundane, which we will turn into the magical!

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HELPING HANDS HAPPENINGS

By Joyce Smith

Helping Hands is celebrating their 25th Anniversary this year. Now for a little history: A group of citizens in Groveland first met at the Community Hall on November 4, 1982 and formed Helping Hands. The first officers were elected on December 2, 1982. In January of 1984, H. H. was granted its non-profit status and received its charter. The first Helping Hands Thrift Store opened on March 17, 1984 in Groveland and has run continually since then, relocating to larger facilities 3 times. Helping Hands Thrift Store is the primary source for revenue that makes all its community service possible. It depends solely on donations from the community and is fully operated and directed by volunteers of the community. We are fully stocked with adult and children's clothing of all sizes and styles, shoes, and purses, adult and children's books, toys, kitchen goods and housewares, linens, crafts and sewing supplies. We also have rare and antique books and collectibles. **WE ARE MORE THAN A THRIFT STORE!** More on our Community Service Donations in next month's paper.

—Boatmans Retire from Helping Hands. The Boatmans have been untiring volunteers for years. Betty has been doing the linens and the beautiful layettes. Willie checked out the electronics, clocks, bikes, for years, and lately all the appliances. They decided they wanted to be able to do more fun stuff with spontaneity. Their work for H. H. was mostly done at home requiring a lot of time and they were not able to go when they wanted to.. Their

dedication to their jobs, warmth and caring will be greatly missed. They are an asset to our community and have certainly been a great asset to Helping Hands.

We wish them the best and hope they will come in to see us often. Thanks Boatmans and "Let the Good Times Continue".

—The "Barn's a Buzzin". Yes, we are busy. We are only open Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturday during the summer. It's a fun place to work. The day I worked, I took my book but never opened it. People were in and out all day, checking us out. Thanks to our generous community, we have a good collection of furniture. The Community seems happy we are here. Come check us out.

—On a sad note, our sympathy goes out to volunteer Erma Millheim and Husband Dale, and Family in the death of their son in Texas. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

—New Volunteers: We welcome Toni Augsburger and Jeanne Ridgley to our group. We look forward to getting to know you.

—Special thanks to Cliff Beckwith for all his extra work in getting our big move completed in record time. Good job!!

—Late Friday and Sunday Openings: Friday, August 3rd to 7:00 P.M.; Friday, August 31st to 7:00 P.M.; Sunday, September 2nd, 11:00 to 4:00; and Friday September 7th to 7:00 P.M.

—Watch for the sale flag, or just come in and browse.

See you at the Store or Barn.....

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Pictured: Ben Rumson (Ty Smith) is unsure about his daughter Jennifer (Jen Faith Brown) coming of age in a mining town with a dancing lady like Cherry (Annie Brown) as a role model.



RICH MILLER PHOTOGRAPHY

CALIFORNIA STATE FAIR OPENS!

August 17th starts the 2007 California State Fair at Cal Expo in Sacramento. Tuolumne County will again be participating in the Counties Exhibits in the Counties Building. If you want to see what we're all about, stop by and see us. We will answer your questions and provide information and literature on all aspects of our county's bounties.

The Cal Expo fairgrounds come alive every summer as the State Fair becomes a "city within a city" that hosts nearly one million visitors. Folks come from

near and far for the memorable delights of this 154-year-old extravaganza that includes exciting exhibits, amazing attractions, live entertainment, and the Magnificent Midway. The 2007 California State Fair will run from August 17 - September 3, 2007, with Mondays

closed (open Labor Day.)

Enjoy entertainment from Huey Lewis and the News, Daughtry, Tesla, KC & The Sunshine Band, All-American Rejects, Weird Al, The Commodores, Chicago and many more well-known musicians and singers!

Last year's Tuolumne County exhibit won a gold ribbon. Kimberly Francis wearing a period costume (shown in photo) made the presentation that contributed to our award.

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Groveland Rotary Dedication at Camp Tuolumne Trails

By Virginia Gustafson

On June 26, the Groveland Rotary met at Camp Tuolumne Trails to dedicate the four camp buildings that they built. Our local Rotarians took responsibility for building three children's bunkhouses and a bathhouse. President Herman Schaap spoke about the Rotary's support for the vision of Camp Tuolumne Trails, a camp where children with special medical needs can enjoy the simple pleasures of childhood. He specifically credited Richard Fries, Joe McGrath and George Stoner for their extreme devotion to the project and their many hours of volunteer building and project management.

Jerry Baker, president of the Jerry and Paul Baker Foundation, which is building the camp, also thanked the Rotary members and gave an update on the camp's progress.

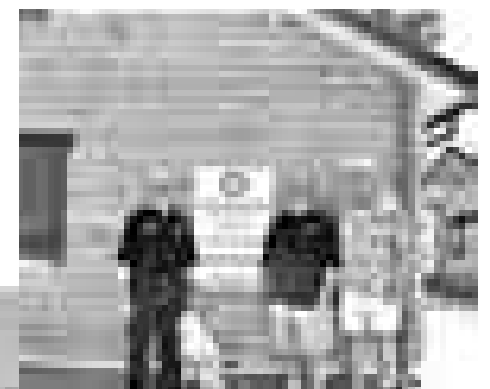
President Herman Schaap and Richard Fries unveiled a "Rotary Way" road sign which names the road to the three cabins built by the Rotarians. Herman, George Stoner and Joe McGrath also unveiled a

sign illustrating the Rotary's "Four-Way Test," which they hope will lead campers to think about their actions at the camp and beyond in the context of these principles of the Rotary.

In other camp news, work has begun on the 1500 square foot swimming pool. It is situated just beyond the Great Hall and is accessible for children in wheelchairs.

We're also very excited to welcome site director John Infelise's wife Adriana and daughters Gabriela and Kim who have just arrived from their former home in Minnesota and have taken up residence at the camp.

Please remember donations to the camp are always appreciated and can be made at www.tuolumnetrails.org/donations.htm.



Rotary president Herman Schaap unveils the Rotary plaque with George Stoner and Joe McGrath. John Brunk, assistant district governor, Rotary district 5220, secretary Larry Shaw, President Herman Schaap, and Joe McGrath pose at Rotary Way.





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Nicolas Vargas, "NICO" for short, son of Pine Mountain Lake resident, Uriel Vargas showing his stuff during the boat parade.



STCHS STEPS UP

By Phil Lefman

With a unanimous vote the Southern Tuolumne County Historical Society at their June meeting voted to move forward with the Cobdens generous offer. In doing so the STCHS Board will work out an agreement with the Cobens for the preservation and restoration of the old Well Fargo Building in Big Oak Flat. Much work lies ahead. Once the agreement is hammered out and STCHS receives title to the property, there will

be a committee formed to move the project ahead. Some of the first items to be addressed will be a fence and clean up of the property. Then a search for grant funding will begin and once grants are secured we can proceed with the restoration of the property. This, along with the proposed acquisition of the old Eagle Shawmut Ball Mill, should make for an interesting restoration project that will keep a lot of civic minded people busy for a long time.

Whitewolf Art Tails

The Gallery is pleased to announce the newest exhibit featuring the artwork of Kathy Tuchalski. In 1978, she began working part-time as a clerk in a local police agency and started drawing police "composite" sketches of suspects. She took advanced studies in composite drawing and three-dimensional facial reconstruction from skeletal remains.

Kathy has enjoyed taking drawing and painting classes at Modesto Junior College and has attended workshops with color pencil artist Bet Borgeson, watercolor artist Rose Eden, and acclaimed painter Robert Burridge. She enjoys working in pastels, watercolor, color pencil, acrylic paints and mixed media. Her artwork includes realistic representations as well as abstracts and design.

We would like to welcome photography artist Jerome Andrews. Jerome has traveled all over the U.S. experiencing first hand, the beauty of our State and our many National Parks, as well as other picturesque places through his camera lens. He puts the beauty he captures in the camera on canvas, so that those who have been there, or would like to go there, can enjoy the beauty of the

places in their own homes. Many of the scenes he shoots are often difficult to distinguish from actual paintings.

July 23 - August 11th: Kathy Tuchalski
August 13th - September 8th: Sierra Professional Artists

August 13th - September 8th: Jerome Andrews

September 10th - September 29th: James Evaro

October 29th through March 1st: For exhibits during our winter months, please call for availability in 6 week increments.

On-going art in The Gallery includes the work of Michael Carey and David Wilkinson.

Michael is a wildlife artist from Sacramento who works in color pencil. He also makes the beautiful log frames you can purchase framing his artwork.

David Wilkinson's nature and wildlife photographs from around the area and his automotive artwork are featured as well.

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PML Garden Club Clippings

By Jan Sloan

Monday, July 9, we met for our annual brunch at Mt. Sage at 9 am. A beautiful setting it was among the various trees, flowers, and shrubs. The food was incredible!!

Regina Hirsch, hostess, presented a program "Foothill Resistant Gardens, Easy Design Guidelines." She discussed various settings for gardens and a variety of plants available to plant in them. It was

most informative for new and ongoing gardens. Thanks to Robb and Regina for having us. Their setting is a great asset to our community.

Our program for August will be at Burchell Nursery in Oakdale on the 13th. We will meet at the Lake Lodge at 9 am and carpool. Don't forget to reimburse your driver. Lunch will be on your own. See you there!!

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National Day of the American Cowboy Resolution Passes Senate

WASHINGTON- American Cowboy magazine is proud to announce that the Senate has once again approved the National Day of the American Cowboy, Senate Resolution 130, sponsored by Senator Craig Thomas R-Wyoming. The resolution names July 28th, 2007 as the official day of the 3rd annual celebration. The National Day of the American Cowboy was set aside as an official day to honor and remember the contributions of the cowboy into the history of the American West, and to encourage Americans to live the values and the code of the cowboy.

"I'm pleased the Senate has once again recognized the need for a National Day of the American Cowboy," Senator Thomas said. "Cowboys and cowgirls hold a special place in American lore, and they continue to provide an invaluable link in our nation's strong agricultural system. It is appropriate that we celebrate their contributions."

Ongoing efforts are aimed at making the 4th Saturday in July a perpetual holiday. Support from local communities

and individuals are integral in getting this celebration named as a permanent holiday.

American Cowboy magazine, a western lifestyle publication and the organization initiating the campaign for the official day, has provided a website with information on the history and future of the official National Day of the American Cowboy. On <http://www.cowboyday.com/>, interested parties can download items to help them stage their own successful National Day of the American Cowboy event. They can also submit their event for an event calendar.

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Greetings Friends and Neighbors!

By Judy Connery

Each fall the Kiwanis Club of Groveland and Helping Hands is privileged to take about 45 children from the greater Groveland area on a shopping spree to Mervyns in Sonora. Each child is allowed a predetermined amount of money to purchase shoes, coats, outfits, etc. that will be needed for the coming school year. Afterwards we come back to Groveland to Two Guys Pizza and treat the children to pizza and drinks. At that time we give each child a back pack filled with approx. \$50 worth of school supplies. Other local clubs and organizations also make special contributions to this project.

Since our Kiwanis Club has only twelve members we always count on others in the community to volunteer to chaperone and shop with our students. We find it easiest when we have one chaperone per child. So far this year we

have only 12 volunteers and so are asking if any of you would be able to help out. Believe me, you will find it to be a very rewarding experience. The excitement of the children is so much fun.

The requirement is that we meet the children at Mervyns in Sonora at 7:00 a.m. and spend about an hour and a half shopping with a pre-assigned student. The date is Saturday, September 8, 2007. Mervyn's is closed to the public during our shopping spree so we have the store to ourselves. Afterwards you will be welcome to come back up the hill to the pizza party, however, that is not necessary.

If you would be able to help us out or know someone who could, please contact Rudy Manzo at 962-5219 or email rudy92870@aol.com. Rudy is chairman of this Kiwanis project.

NEW MOUNTAIN LUTHERAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

by Dorothy Parker

The New Mountain Lutheran Community Church hosted the 5th Gospel Sing on Sunday, July 29th. It was also the 1st anniversary of the New Lutheran Church. Communicants and pastors from the entire community of churches participated in the service. The congregation chose the hymns they sing, which was fun for all. A tasty hamburger barbecue, with all the "extras" was served after the service.

Church council members recently requested that Tom Carman and Pastors Ralph and Ginger shop for a new keyboard. They shopped in Modesto June 29th and found a magnificent new Yamaha Clavinova Keyboard. It produces a great variety of musical sounds varying from grand pipe organ to simpler and complex organ sounds. It also brings forth modern synthesizer sounds, instrument sounds such as trumpet and trombone, string instruments, woodwind, percussion, etc. It is encased in a beautiful wood cabinet which closes over the keys and instrument panels.

The price includes delivery, setup, wiring to our sound system, a demonstration, and a small group lesson. It seems likely that the New Mountain Lutheran Community Church will have the new keyboard installed to enhance its Worship Services. Everyone attending the new church will be elevated to a higher spiritual sense as they enjoy the rich music of the Clavinova Keyboard.

Each Sunday we look forward to new members and friends attending. Everyone is invited to our New Mountain Lutheran Community Church. We are a very friendly group and enjoy refreshments and fellowship after every service. We are located at 13000 Down to Earth Court, just off Ferretti Road, Groveland and our worship service is at 10:45 AM every Sunday.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR OUR SOLDIERS – PICTURES NEEDED!

By Pam Jenkins

Once again this year the Hilltop Ministerial Association will be hosting a Community Day of Prayer for our soldiers. This event will be held on Tuesday, September 11, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. at the Groveland Evangelical Free Church.

A highlight of the day will be the opportunity to pray for the members of our military stationed at home and around the world. Pictures of men and women from all branches of the armed services, along with their current location, will be shown on a large screen run in a continual loop throughout the day.

Your help is needed in collecting pictures. If you participated in the Day of Prayer in 2006, all you need to do is call or e-mail the church and tell us to re-run the picture from last year or you may choose to update the picture and/or information by contacting us at pamgefc@sbcglobal.net or calling the church at 209-962-7131.

If you have a friend or loved one who is currently serving in any branch of the military we would like to pray for them by including their picture in the slide presentation. Pictures may be e-mailed to the address above, mailed to Groveland Evangelical Free Church at 19172 Ferretti Road, or delivered in person to the church office. Please include the following information with your pictures: name, where stationed, branch of the military, and home town. (Please also include the name, address and phone number of person making submission). Pictures may be picked up at the church office following the Day of Prayer.

This event is for the entire community -- you do not need to be a member of any church to participate. Please join us on September 11, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. as we gather to pray for the military.

INTERNATIONAL SPEAKER Cheri Peters with True Step Ministries is coming to Groveland and Greeley Hill September 7-9, 2007

Agenda is as follows:

Friday, September 7 at 6:30 PM Tenaya School Auditorium, Hwy 120.

Saturday, September 8 at 9:30 AM, Seventh-day Adventist Church, 19585 Elder Lane, Groveland. **Contact:** Pastor Ron Gerking 962-0855.

Saturday, September 8 at 6:30 PM "Saturday Night Alive!" Greeley Hill Seventh-day Adventist Church, 6455 Pine Drive, Coulterville. **Contact:** Monica Barlow 878-3561 and Kathy Figueroa 878-3772.

Sunday, September 9, 9:00 AM, Independent Church of Christ, 18829 Foote Street, Groveland. **Contact:** Claudette Williams 962-7005.

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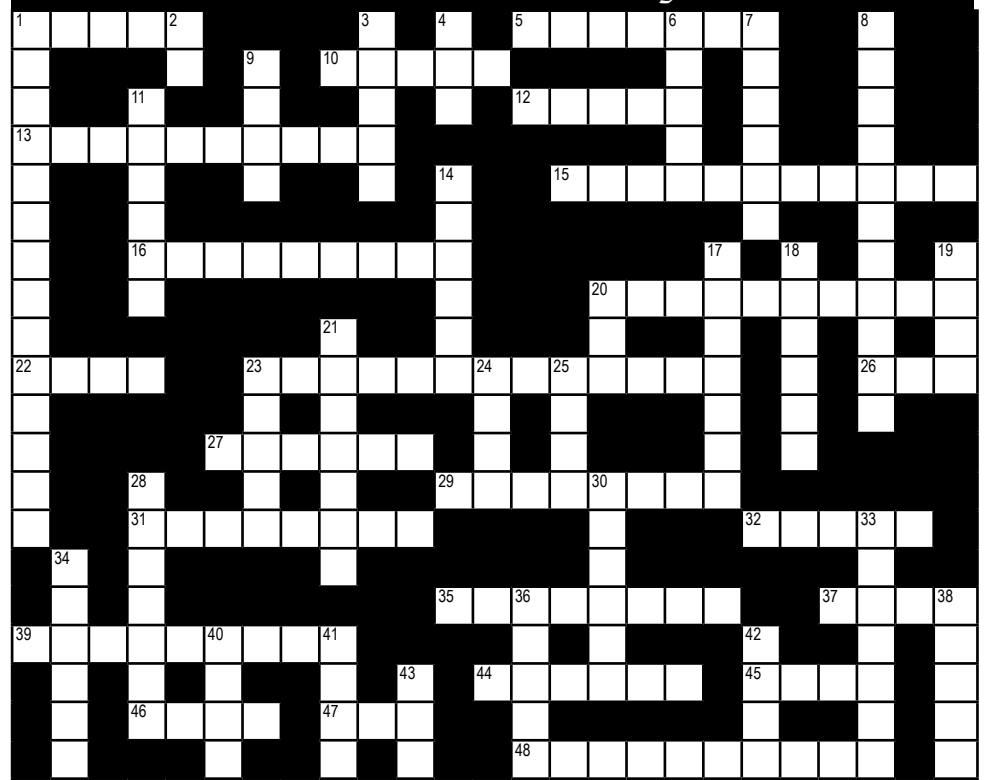
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- 10 Tenaya ____ Roll
- 12 Sierra Rep's "Paint Your ____"
- 13 49er Festival - We need ____
- 15 Helping Hands celebrating 25th ____ this year
- 16 49er Parade deadline ____ 1st
- 20 PML Aviation Assn. to hear ____ tales
- 22 Sept 15th ____ Signing at the museum for "Manzanita"
- 23 New program at Groveland Museum (3 words)
- 26 ____ and even
- 27 ____ Jazz Concert, August 18th
- 29 Thai Royal ____ visits Yosemite & Groveland
- 31 Windjammer News by Steve ____
- 32 Timepiece
- 35 ROOFBB's hosting Monday Night ____ at the Country Club
- 37 Neither hot nor cold
- 39 ____ or Bust
- 44 Sept 11th - Day of ____ for our soldiers
- 45 Uninvited picnic guests
- 46 PML Men's 9 hole ____ Club will have a Fall tournament
- 47 ____ August Nights
- 48 Did You Know? Sierra ____ Medical Group

DOWN

- 1 Healthy Heart Recipe - Brown Rice with ____ (3 words)
- 2 Yes and ____
- 3 Breakfast bread
- 4 Also
- 6 New President of Soroptimist of Groveland ____ Goodrich
- 7 ____ vacation ends early in September for the kids
- 8 49r Festival to bring back the ____ (2 words)
- 9 Freedom is never ____
- 11 ____ 18th - last movie in the park
- 14 ____ Club's July meeting was held at Mountain Sage
- 17 Boat Parade ____ announced
- 18 Hail to the ____ Queen
- 19 Dry
- 20 ____ and hers
- 21 Land Use Study for Gathering Place and ____ (2 words)

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- 23 Downtown Groveland contains many interesting ____
- 24 Portal
- 25 Press
- 28 ROOFBB slogan "Caring Hearts... ____ Others"
- 30 National Day of the American ____
- 33 When school starts kids return to their ____
- 34 United ____ of America
- 36 ____ Queen of the daytime talk shows
- 38 Played on the radio or I-Tunes
- 40 Story
- 41 You go to the dentist for a tooth ____
- 42 What a babydoll says
- 43 Consumed

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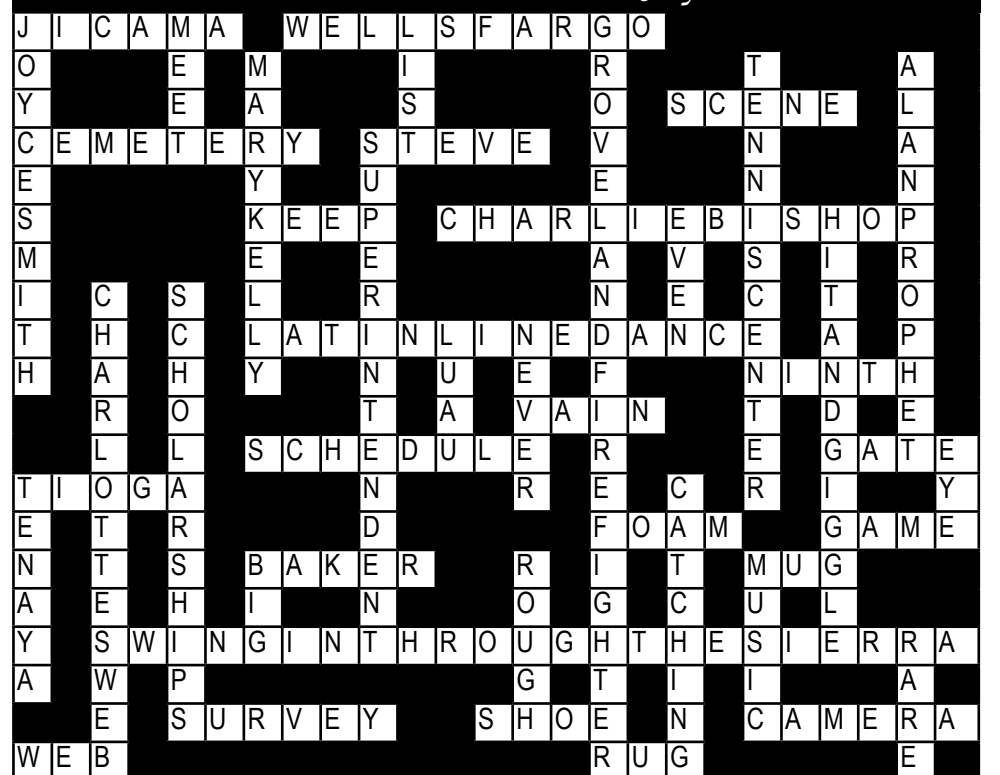


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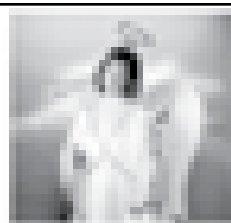
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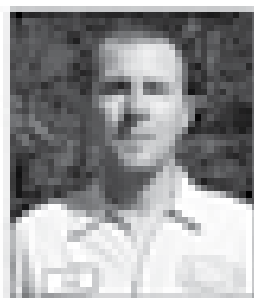
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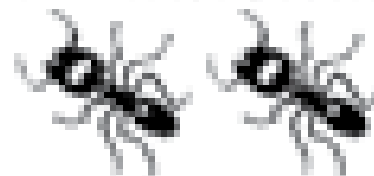
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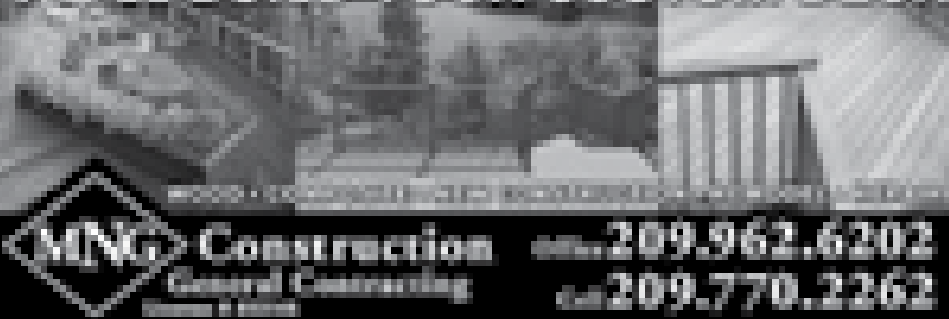
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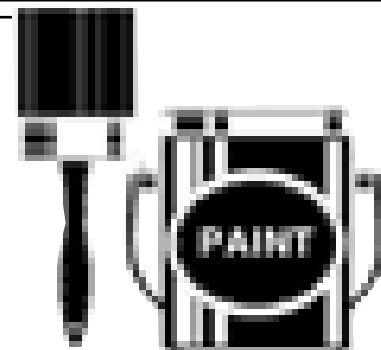
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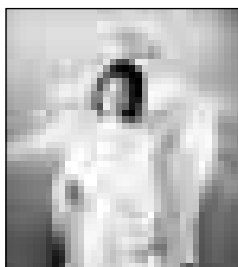
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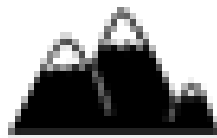
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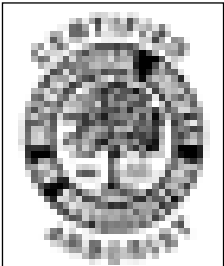


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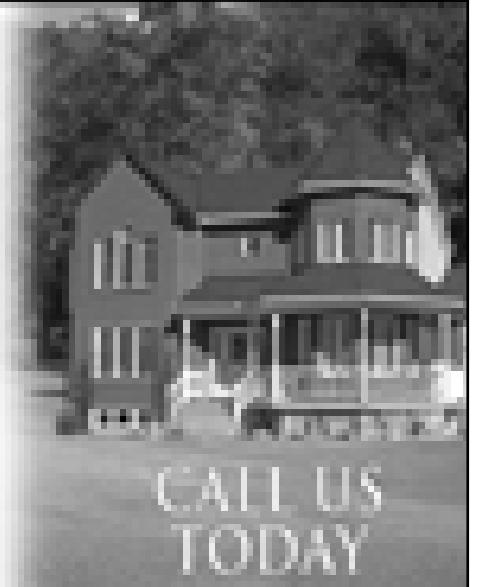
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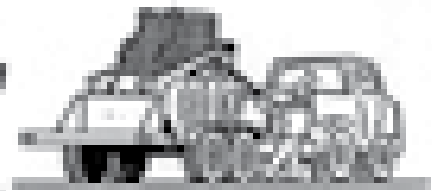


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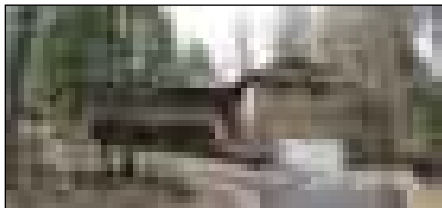
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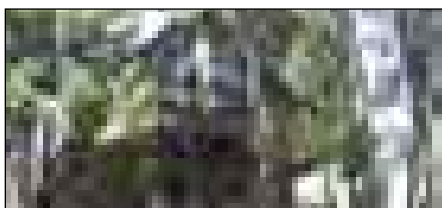
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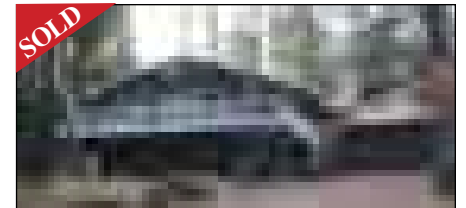
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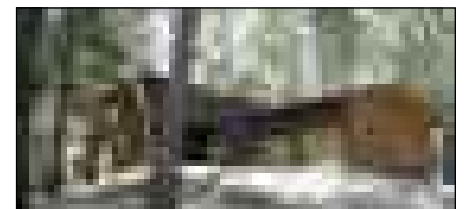
12/170 Clifton Way TASTEFULL RENOVATED 3bd, 2ba, ranch-style home on 1.26 acres, zoned for horses. Large family room, granite counters in kitchen, stainless appliances & double ovens. High speed internet w/two phone lines. Large garage and a mountain view. \$499,000



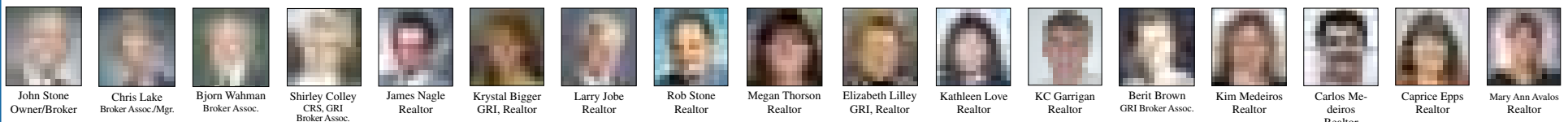
13/69 Myer Ct PARK-LIKE SETTING. New, 3bd, 2ba, 1790sf, single-level with 2-car garage. Spacious floor plan, slate entry, pine cabinets, tile counters and jetted tub in main bathroom. Easy maintenance deck. \$439,000



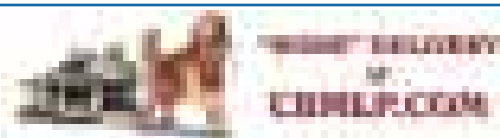
4/566 Rock Canyon CUSTOM HOME with 3bd, 2+ baths, built-in entertainment center and 52" LCD tv. Bonus room, maple cabinets, kitchen island. Main bdrm suite has French doors. Jetted tub & large tiled shower. Hardi-plank siding and Trex deck. \$449,900



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